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New Deal CHINA PLACES NEW BAN



Jap & General

Hanged For

Guam, Sept. 25.

prisoners of

Fachibana and four other

ly after 7 p.m. (Guam

time) on Wednesday for

. The others who died on the

gallows were: Captains Masa

(of the Navy), Major Succ

Matoba and Tadao Agawa,

former inspector of the Japan-

Tachibana was convicted

after witnesses had said he ate

the ficsh and livers of prisoners of war he ordered to be

beaten, tortured and behead-

effen human flesh."

"makes me strong."

a sword.

ly secret.

nt 8.02 p.m.

-United Press.

partiality.

Lette Jayed not wholy.

Matoba also admitted he had

Yoshii had Americans killed

livered to his cook. He told

the court that cannibalism

In the United States Navy.

To prevent retaliation and

MOSLEM ATTACKS

BRITISH OFFICERS

Pandit Hirdaynath Kunzru, well-known Liberal

leader, today accused British officers of the

ese civilian police on Guam.

American

Extra Tax Put On "Detained"

Nanking, Sept. 25.

The Ministry of Economic Affairs today completed a new list of imports banned by the Chinese Government, according to a reliable source. This list is said to include such items as per-

fumery, cosmetics, to pure silk, piecegoods. jam, confectionery, manicure sets, curios and pure wool rugs.

The sple of all the articles, on | throughout | China list will be prohibited January 1 next year. Meanwhile, the Executive Yuan Sub-Committee resolved to Impose a 50 to 100 per cent tax on permissible imports brought Into China without Government

> Chinese customs. At the same time; the Sub-Committee ordered all cargoes coming within the Government's import ban now under Customs detention should be shipped back to their original destinations within a definite period otherwise they should be confiscated. Values

permits and now detained by the

The Ministry of Finance, Dr. O.K. Yui, told the meeting that the total value of goods imported by merchants without a Govern ment permit and financed out of their private foreign exchange

(Heated Debate Chinese Trade Ban — See Page 10).

holdings - come-to- US\$40,000,000 Seventy per cent of these come under the permissible category.

If the Sub Committee's decision is approved at the next, meet ing of the Executive Yuan; scheduled for Saturday, a considerable quantily of permissible imports gathering dust in the warehouses in Shanghai will be released.

newsprint, fertilisers, medicines, ntuminium plate and chamleal raw materials.

Deficit

In Shanghai, the Chinese Customs report today reveiled that China's uninvourable traits balance had soured by nearly 200 per cent in July with imports hitting an alltime high of CN\$721,000,000,000 and exports dwindling to CN\$230,090,000.

The heaviest gains in imports were registered in raw cotton, cotton yarn and cotton threat which totalled CN\$199,000,000,000, compared with June's CN\$38. not previously served 25 years.

It was believed that the chief technicians began a national compared with June's CN\$38, condition accepted by the AMO general strike, demanding re- 000,000,000,000, or an increase of 421.

He forced the Guamanian to was the release of 23 Commun- cognition for administrative per cent.—Reuter & United Press.



Despite Moslem accurations of British partiality the Governors-General of Pakistan and India still get together. Mr. Jinnah and Viscount Mountbatten at a Medem reception in Delhi. With them are Miss Fatima Jinnah and Vinebuntess Mounthatten (right).

Captain Tells Of "Behar" Sinking

Evidence that the motor vessel "Behar" was sunk by direct hits after the first two shots had fallen short was given by Captain P. J. Greene

juries to his back.

Hands Tled

Everybody was taken aboard

the cruiser. Witness had hi

exception of two women, were

On board the cruiser | Capt

Symons of the Behar was called

over and questioned. There was

"Not Seen Again"

ar other ship in the vicinity

All the survivors, with

at the War Crimes Court yesterday. Captain Green was giving evi- | The Behar was sinking and the ince in the continued hearing in | Captain decided to abandon ship the case in which Vice-Admiral The lifeboats were lowered but Sakonju and Captain Mayazuni the firing continued. 'Witness are charged with a war crime in act in one lifeboat and a shell tee machinery went into its curst near by. He sustained in

connection with the deaths of a number of survivors of the Behav. Captain P.J. Greene, of Messre Butterfield and Swire, said that he Joined the Behar at Melbourne majority, of the passengers got for the Holy Land, it must be on March 9, 1944 for Bombay.

into the lifebouts, the others sumped into the sea. On March 10 she was met by a Japanese cruiser. He was in the company of a European gunners and an Indian ship's officer, MacGragor, and member of the crew, Continuing witness said that

read a message as OTANA. The Behar had radio equipment. the Japanese lowered a whaler and attempted to save those in The two shots of the first salve the water. Later a signal was feil some 100 feet short of the

The Captain of the Behar turn. ed her round and fire ceased for

a short while. The Japanese ship then conhands tied with a rupe; ,... tinued firing and the Behar, recelved direct hits from three or

------EXTRA 'PHONE CHARGES?

The Hong Kong Government's decision on the Hong Kong Telephone Company's application for increased telephone charges is expected at an early date. For

The United States whipped a new Balkan proposal into shape for prompt U.N.O. action today with the evident purpose of seeking a strong international reinforcement for the Truman Doctrine in Greece. The delegations under the | Before the Cabinet meeting.

leadership of Secretary of President Truman called into State Marshall, reportedly has conference Clinton Anderson, a tentative draft of a resolu- Secretary for Agriculture, for tion by which the UNO As- the third successive day. sembly would set up what Together they were expected some officials called a "fairly" to put the finishing touches to large" Commission to main- the programme for United tain a constant watch on States contribution to over-Greece's borders with Yugo- come the world' food crisis. slavia, Albania and Bulgaria.

U.S. Whips Up New Plan

The Commission. American ed to announce today.-Associaauthorities, contend, would ted Press and Reuter. serve by its very presence to minimise the number of border incidents and otherwise help protect Greece against alleged Communist aggres-

The whole subject is scheduled for action by the Assembly a 55-nation Political Commission with Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt designated to assist American member Warren Austin in meeting strong Russian opposition.

Palestine

Meanwhile, as the commitsecond full day Britain was said to be prepared to tell the The Behar sank within 20 UNO Committee on Palestine minutes, of the first whit. The that, if UNO finds a solution ready to back it up with adequate support.

All were saved, except two Arab lenders have stated they would forcibly oppose partition of Palestine into Jewish and Arab states. Food

full session yesterday to dis-ered it at 11.40 a.m. cuss the general food situation. The typhoon, which passed 250 at home and abroad, including miles south-west of the Colony at

the question of prices. The meeting was the first Tonkin Gulf. gathering of the Cabinet knots per hour, the typhoon was since President Truman's re- expected to hit the China coast, turn from Brazil, where he at- about 50 miles west of Pakhol, at

fence conference.

| which the President is expect-

************** Soong To Arrive In H.K. On Sunday

Chincse press reports last night said that Dr. T. V. Soong, newly-appointed Governor of Kivungtung, is schoduled to arrive in Hong Kong on Sunday from Shanghai.

The reports added that Dr. Soong will stay in the Colony until Tuesday when he will proceed to Canton to assume his new post,

After hoisting the No. Typhoon Signal for about seven hours yes-Meanwhile, in Washington, terday morning, the These include machinery, Behar but ricocheted and explod given for the lifeboats to go United States Cabinet into Royal Observatory low-

Is aim, yesterday, later entered the

tended the inter-American de-inidnight. It was travelling westnorth-west.

Webb Disputes Issue Of Hirohito's Guilt

Tokyo, Sept. 25. tions, the ceremeny was strict- Leftists again demanded yester- ment concessions, were not The Tribunal President (Sir William Webb) today rebuked the prosecution when the question of Emperor Hirohito's war guilt arose at the war crimes trial.

Party opened its aggressive Allied Chief Prosecutor (Mr. testify on behalf of Kilchiro

Mr. Keenan said he believed dent of the Privy Council and the upper floors, wrecked the would have been in the dock library and custodian too."

and broke most of the windows

The issue arose during the he was nearly killed on Febcross-examination of former runry 26 in the rebellion by planned violence since the Premier Keisuke Okada by the army officers, was called to Hiranuma, who served as Presi-

> The former baron was also widely known as the founder president of the Kokuhonsha

Mr. Keenan asked Okada whether he was certain that even on the eve of Pearl Harbour. Hirohito personally opposed Japan going to war against the United States and Britain. Okada: "Yes."

He added that Hirohito risked "fall from power" to avoid

cerned with winning or losing the war and disliked the war. Sir William remarked from the ister stationed in East Punjab triets but naw little was 151 dead 549 injured crims to be committed."

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Churchill's

others he left behind,

will give evidence.

Westerham; Sept. 24. car belonging to Mr. Winston Churchill was stolen from a car parks near his: home here. The car, a small black

ratioon; was not used by Britain's wartime Profiler but by a relative, Mies White-Renter.

Hong "Kong." An anthrelone is centred over N. China and a depression over N. Ben of Japan is moving NE A very weak trough of low presents extends from The Emperor was, not con- Burma to N. Luion. . Today's Forecast: Moderate : easterly winds, "Raht; showard, at "frit: becoming

> Ymierlay's Weether!--Maximum : 84.8 deg. Pati Minimum t "79.3, neg. Fall. Buschine: 4.1 hours. Rainfall; 4.4 mm z.v.lf ingle, Total pince Jan. 1-4141.8 tife m 100,000 inches me



Punjab Boundary Force of failure in im-In A statement after a tour of ed in Shelkhupura where British East Punjab and Lanore, Kunzau officers were present and one Bri. (includer of the Assembly and tish officer was reported responleader of the Opposition in the sible for a large number of Council of State), referred to an casualties among non-Moslems? inclident in Shelkhupura (Pakistan | "The officer commanding the sikhs were killed as a result of dirsolved) was Prilish, every bullets and one officer was court- origide commander was British and 20 percent or more of the Eungru said: "What happen unit commanders are British.



rincta langra Strike Ends

Trieste, Sept. 25. and ordered their livers de- The Communist-led general strike ended last night after two days' violence, marked by hand grenades and mined trolley tracks. Communist officials of the Labour troubles spread as the

Several thousand textile plant

Their walkout did not affect

Negotiations for a contract

with the Metal Workers Union

progressed badly and the Union

said conferences with undustry

Bombing :

In Milan, the Communist re-

ment three weeks ago,

Tanaka was convicted of Sindicati Unico called off the Communists and Left Wing So-executing seven American walkout, effective at midnight, cialists continued consultations prisoners on Dublen Island in after the American military with other parties in an effort the Truk Atoli without trial. government and the Labour to line up a solid anti-Govern-Agawa beheaded, an elderly Chamber of the Trieste Execu- ment bloc for a parliamentary Guamanian civilian because he live Council accepted unspeci- showdown. fled "conditions." had previously served 25 years

to kneel beside an open grave ists seized earlier in the day on employees. and then decapitated him with charges of assault and Intimi-Tachibana dropped through 12 men for bombing a street an extended strike would

the gap exactly at 7 p.m. and car and assigned two armed gradually cripple production. Agawa was pronounced dead guards to every street car.

In Italy

New Delhi, Sept. 25.

Meanwhile, in Rome, the would be broken off if manageattempts to stop the execuday the formation of a new made today. The publication of it in Italian Government, including Guam was delayed 12 hours to ther postponement of the scheprevent local, demonstrations, duled Assembly debate and gional headquarters building was bombed today in the first vote of confidence.

full story: See page 10. per cent.-Reuter & United Press. the bulk of 400,000 workers em-

major outbreak of deliberately l campaign against the Govern- Keenan).

The TNT explosion at the door of the building tore a six the 25 accused on the dock were was regarded as one of Hirohi. by three feet hole, in the cu- responsible for the war, adding: to's closes advisers. trance and shattered stairs to "If there is anyone else he

on the first two floods.—United Okada, Premier from July. 1939 to February, 1946, when nationalistic reform group.

JAP FLOOD DEATH

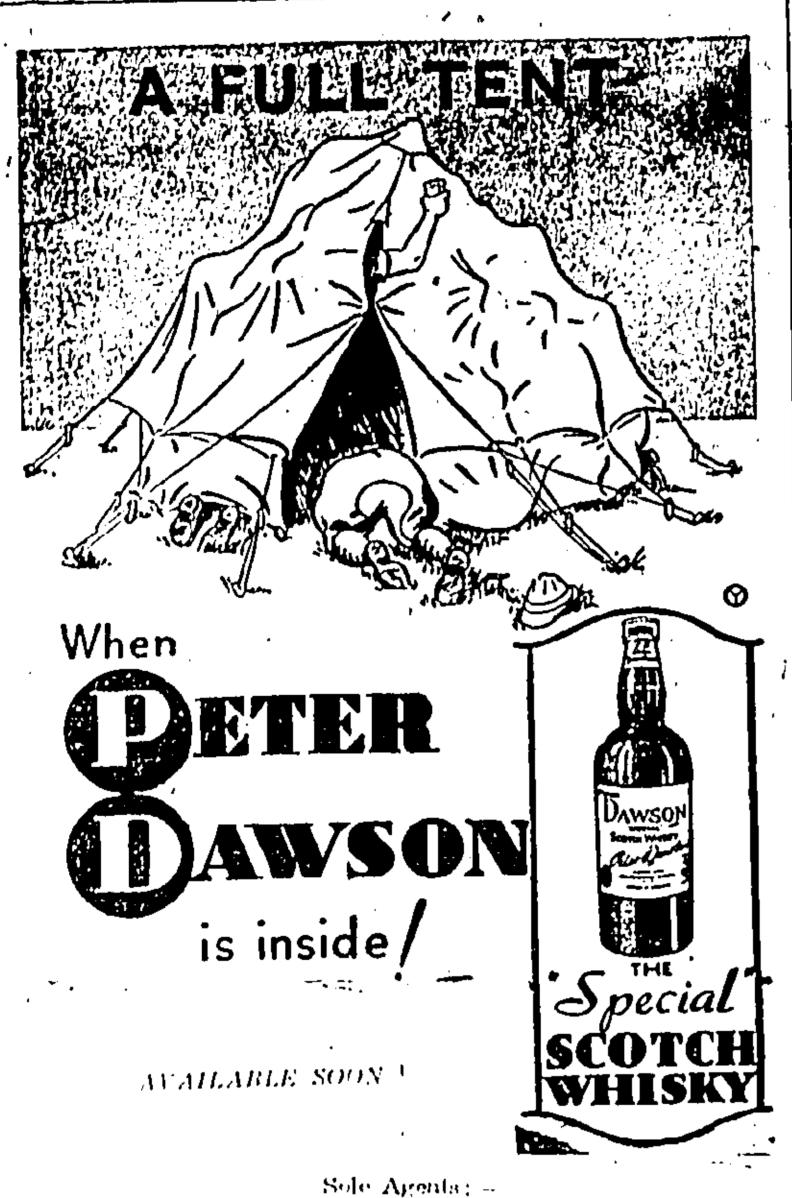
Tokyo, Sept. 25. Runlab), where many Hindus and Punjab Boundary force (since The official deathtoll from floodwaters still covering much of the Kanto Plain stood at 1,002 dead, 1,616 injured and 985 missing—a slight increase over previous figures—SCAP's Public

"Health Welfare Section reported today.

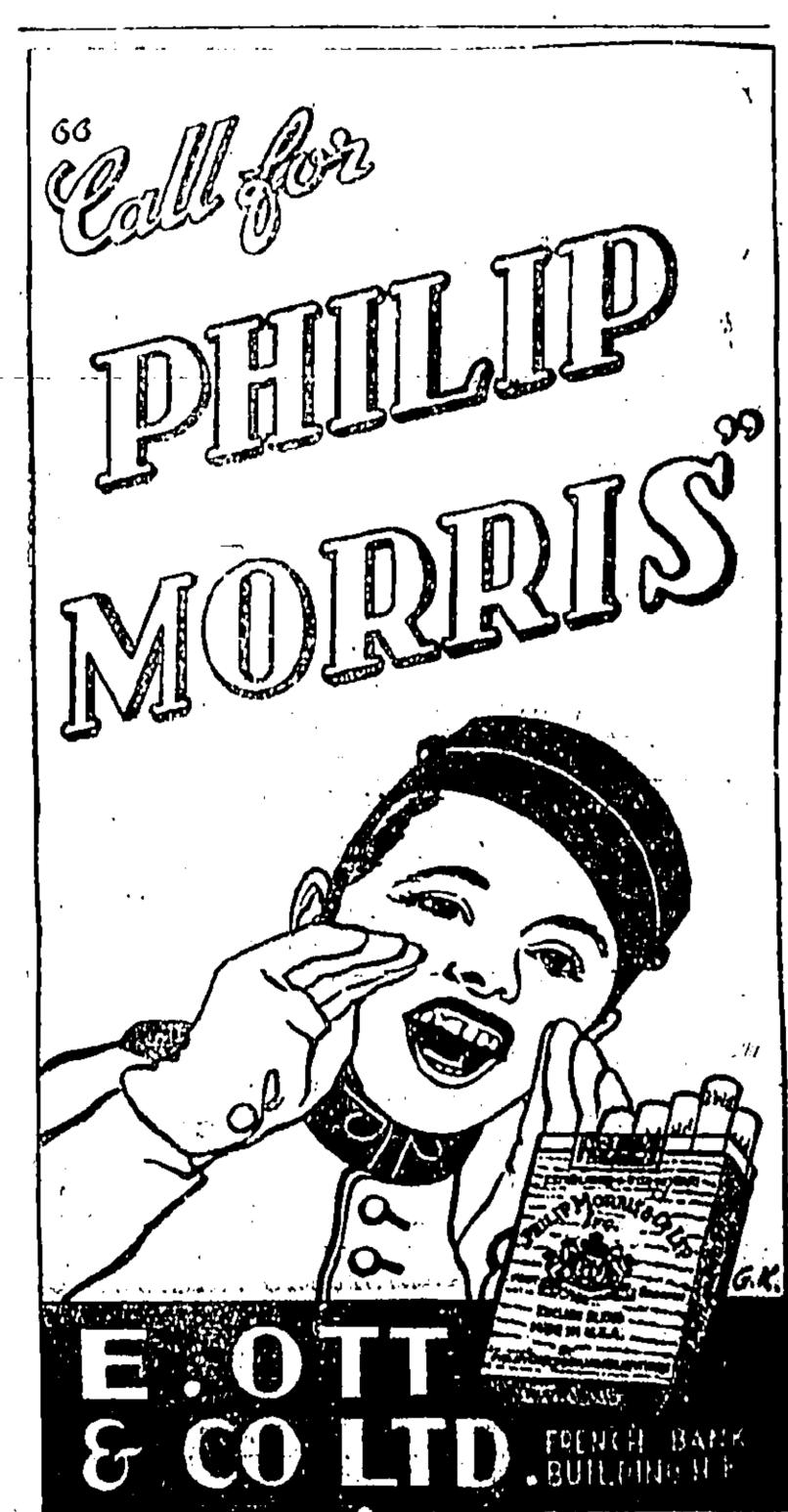
If the situation very probably Previously, the First Cavalry BCAP's Health Welfare Section the war and disliked the war."

Previously, the First Cavalry BCAP's Health Welfare Section remarked from the would have been brought under on the basis of reports from its ports, said, the greatest toll was on the basis of reports from its ports, said, the greatest toll was control."

Runzru suggested an impulsy of the affected prefectures. 397 were reported dead, 914 in the conduct of the boundary of the affected prefectures.



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BOOKSELLERS

nothing to do with love affairs," Mr. Justice E. H. Williams (Puisne Judge) yesterday told Mr. C.A.S. Russ, who pleaded for leniency on behalf of ex-policeman Lau Fuk, convicted of assaulting and causing bodily harm to his lover.

Mr. Russ said the accused was from the box or from the dock. young (30) and madly in love. Pleading on his behalf, Mr. Russ nonths hard labour.

ing to kill his awcetheart by strongulation, the jury found the to his cubicle open and, because defendant "not gullly."

Called in evidence by Crown keep his spirits up by drinking Prosecutor (Mr. E.H. Sainsbury), spirits down." Mrs. Tsang Chilling, 22, stated that she first met the accused in 1944 when he was attached to the her to come back with "the Shumshuipo Police Station. "Had No Money"

Later, she was forced to have intimate relations with him as Kung, Kowloon Hospital, was to she "had no money" during the the effect that when he examin-Jecupation.

On the re-occupation of Hong Kong she broke off with him but marks on the front of her neck was later forced to return to him | and three bruises on her back. as he threatened to cripple or None were serious to her health even kill her.

She broke away from him again | said. in 1846 and did not see him again !

the street," she promised that she causing bodily harm. would have a talk with him the next morning at his appartment sisted by Sub-Inspector C, Dowon the third floor of 145 Lai Kok man.

At 11.00 n.m., on July 30, witness said, she left her house to keep the appointment. Before leaving, she told her grandmother to call at the Lail Kok Road address If she did not

return by noon. On arrival at the defendant's house, she found him in his cubicle, lying on his bed.

"Very Snobbish" "You are very snobbish," .he

Lau then got up, grabbed piece of rope, pushed her on the bed and started to strangle her. saying: "You must die today." She screamed "Save life." issue of the 24th September. woman came in the room and pulled the accused away. Mrs Tsong said. Lau ran out of the

While she was recovering from of two Chinese classes—the merely mean that a far better, cubicle. the attack she heard a knock at the street door and the voice of consult him privately, and her grandmother calling out to

The knocking continued for which is run and maintained by fifteen minutes and then her the Anti-tuberculosis Association grandmother entered with a party the a Government Clinic, organisad, whether she puts lipstick on proof police officers. After telling the police

tried to kill me," Lau was arrested, she said. ... No Statement

The accused made no statement

Personalia

Arrivals at the Peninsula Hotel torium. It is unused now, but include W. C. Farnham, Mr. and the Government when approached Mrs. L. W. Kaufmann, L. M. about letting it or giving it over Dickson, Chas. S. Kichler, R. J. Young, O. T. Bamforth, Mr. and Mrs. D. Moore and Paul Schone.

Peninsula departures include this matter is under consideration 1 Dr. A. R. Knipp, H. Forsyth R. now by Government who have and a smiling community greet one Powell, Prof. J. A. Lauwerys, H. not laid down any financial con- on every side. Food, entertainment E. Nicholis and Mrs. D. Me- ditions but have assured the As- and transport of a quantity and Connell.

The ferthcoming wedding is handing over of this hospital to, 1938, all contribute to the general announced of Mr. Earl Ger- the Association for a tuberculosis atmosphere of prosperity. hart Baumgardner to Miss hospital if and when it becomes Minnie Harris Golding.

Gustave L. Renstom and Dr. Wu is trying to urged the post-war conditions in Hong Kong Charles Navarro Jr. arrived by Government to adopt a scheme similar to that now operating in P.A.L. plane from Manila:-

Major Coburn and Capt go to each house where tuber-Whitfield were passengers by C.P.L. plane for Manila.

number of women residents act the risk of infection in the the simple one-colour ten cent note flicted? and quests were assembled to family. The facts are that the new in circulation. If two addition and in conclusion, Mr. MacIntosh and quests were assembled to family." The facts are that the greet Lady Granthum, who had Hon. Dr. Rewton, as President of dollar and a twenty or twenty-five which appeared in the cent note—this would reduce the columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the Press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the press and to a secretaring the circular columns of the circular columns club. Lady Grantham stayed Association might perhaps con- handling, by restricting the circula-

The Secretary, Miss Matheson, President Mrs. M. Annett
hand Vice-President Mrs. Cassidy, escorted Lady Grantham
on her tour, which sincluded death rate from tuberculosis in the content of the conte inspection of the library which Hong Kong is 10,000 is also with after the first, few days, and I now ing a member of the Hong

Lau was sentenced to nine told the jury that there was no substantial evidence that Lau had On the first charge of attempt. meant to kill his sweetheart.

The accused had left the door

He simply got excited—us young men in love do-and asked visible force a man has over a woman," Mr. Russ said. Evidence given by Dr. Frank

ed the complainant on July 30. He found linear transverse but would cause discomfort, he

. The defence argued that since until July 29 this year when she the bruises were not serious and at Nathan Road, did not cause serious discomfort, it was doubtfull whether the "To avoid making a scene on defendant could be accused

Mr. E.H. Sainsbury was as-

T.B. Campaign

Sir,-As Chairman of the Hong

Kong Anti-tuberculosis I wish to

give publicity to the correction of

certain maccurate statements and

There was a statement in your

workers who attend the Anti-

in any way.

property.

tuberculosis clinic at Wanchai.

tuberculosis Association is trying

to the Association, made financial

meet." The facts are these:

Price-Controlled Suits Local Market?

This winter there will be price-controlled suits in the local market—this is, of course, if plans now in preparation sieceed. The "China Mail" learned yesterday that the Department of Supplier. Trade and Industry is considering an arrangement whereby winter suits would be placed in the market at prices fixed by the Department, and it

of his great love, had "tried to In a talk on "Police and the Public" at vesterday's weekly meeting of the Y's Men's Club, in the Jacobean Room of the Hong Kong Hotel, Mr. D. W. MacIntosh, Commissioner of Police, said that it might not be realised that the foundations of everything done in Hong Kong were based on the foundations of law and order.

> times to any member of the was the sole responsibility of if there should be an explosion public who wished to register Government and the Police. any complaint concerning matters within his province. Those too busy to call personally, could always address prise only one section. him at Pest Office Box 590.

Mr. MacIntosh added that efficient maintenance of law and order was the first laws. They were only responessential of good government. A contented Police Force was the best means of ensuring law and order.

It acemed to be a mistaken impression in Hong Kong, as

Cowardice?

criticism of a portion of his arti-

disprove my original statement.

Whether that portion of the sen-

itself or with the rest of the sen-

NINE YEARS SERVICE.

And Bravery?

Sir,-May I draw Mr. Mamak's

friend of mine got a "gong"

Come off it, Mr. Mamak. Admi

Filthy Lucre

Sir,-Arriving in Hong Kong for

preconceived ideas of the Colony call

Good buildings, well stocked shorts

. The first trip on the Ferry, how-

ever, gives one an introduction to an unpleasant fenture which the re-

In a community where ten cents

for instant revision upon landing.

EX-WAVY NAVY.

itence it is still damn silly.

have been employed.

Sir,-Mr. Mamak's reply to m.s

etters From

Readers

wrong impressions conveyed in tence ("no man, unless he is a

in Hong Kong" published in your bombs or shells") is taken by

article that patients who came to quite realise what the first sen-

Dr. T.P. Wu were "representative tence was intended to convey.

iniddle-class patients who come to and truthful, comparison could

as follows: the Wanchai clinic is never been afraid of any domsel,

financed and stated by Govern- perly or not, yet during the war

ment officers, and Dr. T.P. Wull was frequently very, very

and the Anti-tuberculosis Associa- afraid of bombs, bullets and

tion have no connection with it shells?-not to mention mines. A

connection with the old Naval fold me he had never been so

to obtain the Naval Hospital in you unthinkingly chose an . un.

condition which at the moment the first time-particularly after two

the Association is not able to years in post-wer England-one's

sociation that they would give quality one can only compare with

very serious consideration to the dim memories of conditions back in

Another incorrect statement sident population has evidently come

was that "the association, through to look upon as inseparable from

gular treatment when needed and | dollar bills?

Hospital in Wanchai "The Anti- scared before in his life.

Wanchal for a Tuberculosis Sana. [citunate comparison!

It was further stated that in St. Nazaire-and he subsequently

Mr. MacIntosh emphasised | well as elsewhere, that that he was accessible at all maintenance of law and order be just too bad for the recipient

He pointed out that law enforcement was divided into three sections. The Police com-

Enforcement

The Police did not make the sible for their enforcement. The punishment of offenders was also not one of the respensibilities of the Police. This Shamshuipo to Kowloon City. came within the jurisdiction

ves bound to assist in the handed in. maintenance of law and order When such a letter had been Kempeltal, was concerned in the and that any member of the received the shop concerned was ill-treatment of civilian residents. community who failed to do to paste a piece of red paper on his duty when called upon, the wall outside the premises

on the fact that the Pelice calls for it. must have the active support | Several Police officers seen of the community, request you to be good enough to cle is no reply at all and do:s not

"Acts Not Words"

an article entitled "Tuberculosis coward, is afraid of bullets, The failure of members of behind them. the community to report . ineldents to the Police as soon much criticism.

of the public did not make pots" for the money.

reports. As regards those who were afraid to give information for fear of reprisals, Mr. Macof Hong Kong." The facts are attention to the fact that I have Intosh said that any informa; tion given to the Police would regarded as confidential. Any person disclosing information so given would be linble to punishment.

The difficulties confronting the Police in the performance of their duties was also emphasised by Mr. MacIntosh. He said that members of public could be divided into

three types. The first type clamoured for the law to be enforced strictly.

When this was done, there whs a cry of "victimization." The second class considered that offenders should be dealt with loniently. This resulted in accusations of corruption and collusion.

The third class did not care what happened.

Three Questions Mr. MacIntosh said that each member of the community should ask himself three ques-

(1) In the Police Force efficient, or what does it lack in men, money or materials to make it efficient?

(2) Am I, myself pulling England. There District Nurses represents the most common de my full weight and assisting nomination of currency, surely some- to maintain the law and order thing could be done to recall and under which I live? culosis is reported, and if hospital- replace the filthy notes one receives (8) Am I satisfied that the isation is not possible give re- in change for moderately clean deterrent punishments which

At the Helena May Institute also advise on the best methods, There must be competent printers are necessary to keep crimes vesterday afternoon, a large in the circumstances, to counter- in the Colony capable of producing within bounds, are being in-

for tea at the Institute and sider recruiting and training tion of a vast number of ten cene letter which ho had received was afterwards shown over health visitors pending the collect notes, most of which are patched yesterday morning regarding the building which houses 38 tion of sufficient funds for run. and filthy beyond description. hight noises in the Lai Chi residents, on the residents, on the residents, on the residents, one feels it is becausely to de Kok stess.

out foundation. The reported collect my change like the older selighted for the first 7 months of sidents.

Surely some femedy can be found Gloucests B. Hotel—was, also for this unpleasant state of affairs, read by Mr. Manintosh, who which at hear is distanteful, and at Maked. "How many of these BULLET GRAZED

HIS EAR

At about 4 p.m. yesterday, the driver of a tricycle Chantin, 24, 10 points was in fact there in the Anti-tuberculosis Association the Anti-tuberculosis

WHAT GOES ON KOWLOON'S

Is the "Kowloon Special Services Detectives' Association" the figment of some crank's imagination, or is it an organization by former members of the Japanese Special Services Corp?

Or, as very few persons be- the last time a threatening letleve, a successor to the notor- ter made its appearance in Kowious "Overseas Youth Move loon was about two months ago ment Organization," the head of when, among several shops; the which, Tse Kwok-wah, was re. Nam Kwok Hotel of Nathan cently sentenced to rleath?

be, made its presence known to "Hong Kong about 20 shops and persons, in- Officers Association." cluding a well-known doctor, in | No one ever chiled, for the the Ynumati district during the money nor were any of the repast fortnight by mailing them cipients ever bothered with a 'requests" for "loans" of \$1,000 second demand. and \$2,000.

Should the request not be the complied with, the letters in- Kanazawa Asao on the premises, or the owner met with "an accident." Payment

In case the receiver should decide accede to the request, instructions were given as to how payment was to be made.

in an envelope and left in the shop named in the letter. The designated shops scattered all over Kowloon, from treatment of prisoners in the

The technique adopted by the the death of some and physical of the Magistrates and Judges. K.S.S.D.A. was to write to the suffering to others. It was stressed by Mr. Mac- shop named in a demand note Intosh that the members of asking it to receive a letter on war crime is that he at Hong the community were themsel- their behalf, if it should be Kong, between June 1 and Aug.

could be arrested and punished; and leave it there until a repre-Strong emphasis was laid sentative of the Association

by the "China Mail" were in. clined to believe that the letters Mr. MacIntosh said that he were the work of a crank, and was asking for help, not kind pooh-poohed the suggestion that there might be anything sinister

No Results

. So far, they pointed out, there as they occurred came in for has not been a single case where the threat was carried out, nor Mr. MacIntosh detailed the a single instance of anyone call- \$500. Total \$500; Hong Kong several reasons why members ing at any of the "receiving de- Government Contribution \$500. It is interesting to recall that

Road was asked to contribute Irrespective of what it might \$5,000 towards the funds of the Ex-Military

No. 7 Military Court assembles this morning to try a member of the Japanese Imperial Army. He is Colonel Knnnzawa Asao.

Col. Kanazawa Asao is allzged to have committed two war crimes. In the first instance he The money was to be enclosed is charged with committing a war crime in that he at Hong Kong, between Feb. 10, 1945 and Aug. are 15, 1945, was concerned in the illcustody of the Kempeltal causing

Col. Kanazawa's second alleged 31, 1945 ns Commander of the resulting in the death of many of them and in physical suffering to others, which included deporta-

tion from Hong Kong. The Court will be under the presidency of Lt. Col. N.G. Wait with Major A. Clayworth and Capt. R.B.R. Gorely as members. Prosecutor will be Major Lai and a Japanese Lawyer ditailed and advised by 2/Lt. Falkoff will defend the accused.

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.. Wall Street's Ambition To Dominate World

London, Sept. 24. Exporting and financial interests in the United States were attacked today by Mr. L. S. Amery, former Dominions Secretary and Secretary for India, when he warned of the danger of near-starvation and mass unemployment in Britain.

Big Moscow Call-Up

MOSCOW, SEPT. 25. THE COVERNMENT TODAY ANNOUNCED THE CALL-UP OF HALF A MILLION TEEN. FOR SCHOOLS TO PREPARE THEM Empire, into its own pattern of an FOR LABOUR RESERVES.

This is the third call-up youth this year bringing between 1845 and 1878." total of drafted boys and girls to 1.2 million.

Three hundred thousand ween called up in March and another 400,000 in July-August.

will mostly be enrolled from vil- widely scattered members of the lages throughout the Soviet British Commonwealth-and this ac-

to coal and from mines and the ference and against the sterling metal and oil industries, 18 year. old boys to the railway industry dustrial schools.

 There was no indication what proportion of the half million will be girls.—United Press.

MYRON TAYLOR RETURNS

Chicago, Sept. 24. President Myron Taylor, Truman's personal representative to the Vatican, returned tion and misery",--Keuter. today from a five-week stay in Europe.

Mr. Taylor said of the countries he visited, "It is a pretty sad picture politically and economically.".

he discussed the Marshall Plan with the Pope. He also declin- underbucking a monsoon. They ed to-comment on the nature of his report to the President. -United Press.

EIGHT

Mr. Amery declared that United States interests were trying to secure an outlet for their own surplus production through the maintenance of "a one-sided hegemony by keeping the world broken up into small economic units, incapable of ever competing on equal terms with American production, and dependent on American finance to redress a

continuously adverse balance of pay-The United States administration had "unfortunately," he sald, been "determinedly resolved to force the TRAINING world, and in particular the British international economy, a pattern in essence a revival of the laisser faire international economy of the years

"Peculiar" Mr. Amery declared that the ambition of American financial and exporting interests had more particular- M. ly extended to "economic, and even-The present group called up tually political, domination of the counts for the peculiar determination Boys of 18 and 19 will be sent of the attack directed against pre-

wholly mistaken" from the point of raz, who is President of the and boys of 17 and 18 to building view of American long-term inter- French National Assembly's trades, Girls and boys from 16 cst, he said. It was substantially Army Commission, said that to 18 will be sent to other in- the policy which led to the depres-

> Mr Amery, who was addressing the institute of Export, declared that all that stood between Britain and near-starvation and unemployment were "hand to mouth selling" of the gold reserve and some "trifling" nurchases of dollars from the Bretton Woods Monetary Fund, Unless she could find a way out Britain would fall to the level of a second-rate economic power "with population reduced by mass emigra-

Calcutta, Sept. 22. Cliff Evans and George Truman, flying around the world He refused to say whether in two Piper Cubs, arrived at | Calcutta today from Karachi planned ta leave tomorrow. for Rangoon by way of Chittagong. -- United 'Press.

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Tass Didn't Like Mr. McNeil's Speech

Tass, the official Soviet news agency, declared today that Mr. Hector McNeil, the Minister of State, "sounded the funeral dirge of the United Nations" in his speech to the United Nations General Assembly on Monday, when he attacked the Soviet

Union's post-war foreign policy. The speech was a "direct and provocative attack against unity and cooperation between members of the United Nations," Tass said.

Mr. McNeil "justified war propagands on the ground of freedom of speech." All Soviet newspapers carried the Tass report today, devoting eight columns altogether to the United Nations debatefour of them to the speech by M. Dmitri Manuilsky, Ukrainian Foreign Minister.

This speech, Tass said, expressed the true nature of those who were "trying to achieve the transformation of the United Nations into a pawn of their policy which is directed at the achievement of world domination."-Reuter.

Immediate Danger Not Germany But Soviet Russia

Paris, Sept. 24.

Death Camp

poisoned by the Nazis.

northeast of Warsaw.

the exhumation of thousands of

eye-witness stories originating dur-

Officers, Jews and "other suspicious

elements" from among the prisoners,

according to the testimony, were im-

mediately shot, said Pravda, while

JAPAN TREATY

Ottawa, Sept. 25.

discuses,—Associated Press,

Associated Press.

Moscow, Sept. 25.

Paul Anxiounraz. Secretary-General of the French Radical Party, told the Anglo-American Press Association luncheon in Paris today: "The immediate danger is not Germany. The present peril is Russia.'

In a stinging condemnation of French foreign policy and The policy was "short-sighted and military strategy, M. Anxioun-France had no national defence in Poland because her. Government had not made up her mind where the present peril lay.

fence is based on a clear conception of where the potential aggressor is. At present the French people are not agreed upon this.

"For many Frenchmen, the Commission Investigating German peril is Germany. I say this is atrocities described this on basis of wrong at the present time. It may be true in 10 or 15 years time, but at the moment ing the Nazi regime in mass murthe peril is Russia. Liquidation

"Even more than the Rusginn occupation of France, I fear the seizing of power by the French Communist Party. "This would mean the liqui- others were starved, gradually poidation of French Intellectual, soned to death, beaten to death, administrative and executive force" and would reduce France from influence for centuries, he said.

"There is no Government doctrine on national defence. he continued. "If the Government does not decide and announce that we shall fight the Russians if they try to invade cordingly, we shall be helpless.

MISSING PREMIER

Frankfurt, Germany, Sept. 25.

A high American source in the United States zone of Germany said on Tuesday night that Dr. Rudolf Paul, missing Premier of the Soviet zone state of Thuringia, is in American hands.

"There is no question that Paul is here in the American zone and is being held by certain American authorities,' the source said.

He stated that Paul, who disappeared from the Russian zone on Sept. 1, with his wife and an interpreter, is being held in the Frankfurt area.

deny that Paul was being held by American forces,-Associated Press.

PREPARING FOR **EMERGENCY**

Washington, Sept. 25,
The U.S. Army has announced it has linked up 27 units—ranging from railway divisions to graves registration companies—ready to step bodily from civilian pursults into military

Closed in Washington today.

At the same time, the United States asked the Yugoslav Goy
States rejected as "wholly without foundation and unworthy of structions to stop the issuing of ultimatums, "which the United States Government consider exiroons during their withdrawal ceedings dangerous and likely to duty in the event of any emergency. troops during their withdrawal ceedings dangerous and likely to The arrangements were made from territory ceded to Yugo- precipitate incidents to the most under-the-War-Department's recently slavia under the .. Italian ... peace serious consequences." announced "affiliation programme" treaty. designed to provide a reserve of In a protest delivered by the tween local military posts must peacetime-trained personnel.—Asso- American Ambassador to Yugo- be resolved through "normal ciated Press. slavia on Monday, the United civilised procedures" and insisted

History's Centre Has Shifted To The Pacific

Cambridge, Mass., Sept. 24. Dr. Pitirim Sorokin, Harward sociologist, today said that the centre of history had shifted to the Pacific and thus any conception of the British Isles continuing as the centre of history was foolish.

He expressed the opinion that the were the United States, China, India
The Story England's population emigrate and the remainder thy to live within the income of the island and forget about the Empire. Dr. Sorokin said in an interview that Australia especially would wel-

come large immigration and the Australians preferred any new settlers to be English. The Russian-born professor add-

tish Isles.

A Province "If I run my house on the scale

culties," he said. "That's what's to his girl companion. been happening to the British." He asserted that Europe was becoming a province and, "to use an exaggerated example, the time is ulliances of Hitlers, Mussolinis and appeared. Chamberlains will have as much significance as do quarrels today

between the mayors of small Ameri-

can cities". "The centre of Anglo-Saxon culture is at present the United States," Prayda reports the Soviet dis- he said. "Already the centre of Poland for Russian war prisoners in Spanish Latin-America, Correswhere, it claims, more than 67,000 pondingly, the centre of Portuguese soldiers and officers were shot or culture is in Brazil, not Portugal Even the centre of Russian culture is moving to Asiatic Russia."-Unit-A communique by the Soviet State ed Press.

corpses and also upon the basis of der enclosures near the city of Os-Problems trow-Marovetski, 100 kilometres

London, Sept. 25. The British Red Cross Society, following the acceptance of its offer of aid in the problems of health and sickness hanged or condemned to slow deathnow besetting India and through dysentery, typhus or other Pakistan, hopes to send a firstconsignment of supplies within a day or two.

The supplies will probably be delivered by a specially chartered plane.

A special staff is hard at Canadian Defence Minister work examining all available Brooke Claxton said today. "It stores and if the two domius and make preparations ac- is our hope that a preliminary nions make a request for perconference on the Japanese sonnel as well as supplies now peace settlement will be held that cholera as well as comwithin the next few weeks." munal tension is preoccupying He suggested preliminary talks the two dominions, the Red might be held in New York. | Cross Society will give the Claxton has just returned matter every consideration. A from the Commonwealth talks specialised staff is available.

on the Japanese treaty in Aus- The Red Cross Society, howtralia. He said Canadians also ever, has its own problems in hoped that the treaty might be England. It is faced with the concluded early next year .- existing shortage of drugs in Britain.-Reuter.

The note said that disputes be-

on Yugoslay recognition of an established provisional boundary line until definite delineation had

Copenhagen, Sept. 25.

The story of a precious brilliant ring, which was stolen, recovered by the ed that Canada too had proved it. Danish police, lost into lish choosing to leave the beset Bri. the water from an American steamer and re-However, he added, really to get out of trouble, the English leaders should scale the budget to fit the British Isles and not the British Officials

One night a Chinese sailor from an American ship in of a baronial manor with the in Copenhagen's harbour got come of a poor Harvard professor, drunk , in a waterfront joint I am sure to get into financial diffi- and proudly showed the ring managed to make him take off the ring, so that she could bet tor admire it. Suddenly she not far off when the quarrels and jumped from the table and dis-

The police investigated and after some time recovered the ring. When a police representative gave the ring back to the Chinese on board his ship, he enthusiastically grasped "An effective national de-covery of a new death camp in Spanish culture is not in Spain but the ring in such a hurry that

it dropped into the water. The police, recognising its responsibility for the recovery of the ring-as they had not properly taken care of its being handed over to its rightful owner-hired a diver who in 10 minutes found the ring between thousands of beer bottle caps pilling up in six feet deep mud, 40 feet down at the bottom of the harbour.—Assoclated Press.

RUSSIA BACKS **YUGOSLAVS**

Russia today announced her support of Yugoslav claims toconsiderable slices of the Austrian provinces of Carinthia and Styria, and autonomy for Cront minorities in the province of Burgenland, on the eastern border of Austria.

Mr. Kyril Novikov, the Soviet delegate to the Austrian Treaty Commission here who made that statement added a request that Yugoslavia be allowed to restate her case.

The other delegates said they would consider the question if Yugoslavia applied to be heard. -Reuter.

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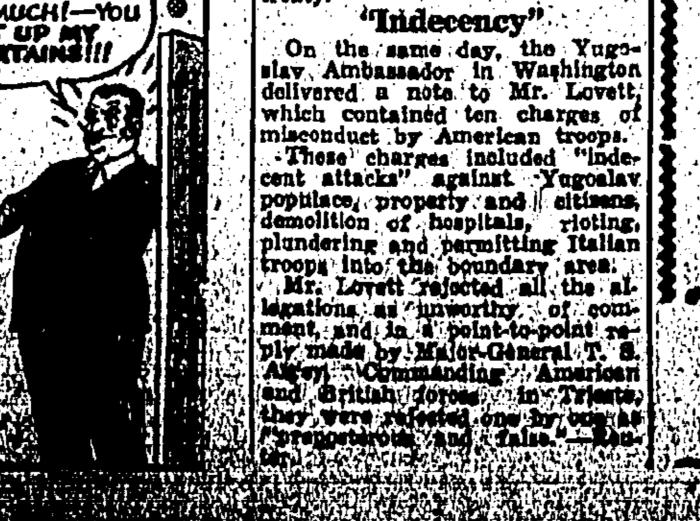
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America Protests To Belgrade On Frontier Dispute

Despite this statement, Army Intelligence authorities still The United States has protested to the Yugoslav Government against the Yugoslav action in presenting ultimatums to Allied military representatives demanding alterations in the provincial boundary between the Anglo-American Zone of Trieste and Yugoslavia, Mr. Robert Lovett, Acting Secretary of State, disclosed in Washington today.

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Hongkong, 23rd Sept., 1947.

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ERIC W. PUDNEY. Commissioner of Inland Revenue, Hongkong, 23rd Sept., 1947.

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> Notice is also given that the Share Register of the Company will be closed from the 27th September 1947 to the 4th October 1947, both days inclusive,

By Order of the Board, LAU TAK PO,

Managing Director.

NOTICE

THE HONGKONG REEL CLUB

The Annual General Meeting COMMISSIONER OF POLICE, will be held at the Helena May Institute on Monday, 6th Octo- Hong Kong, 25th Sept., 1947. ber, 1947, at 5.30 p.m. to be followed by the first practice of the senson.

All past members are requested to attend. Acting Honorary Secretary,

(Mrs) J. SHEWAN.

HONGKONG ST. ANDREW'S SOCIETY

THE ANNUAL GENERAL Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on Friday, 3rd October, 1947, at 5.45 p.m., for the purposes of receiving the Annual office-bearers for the ensuing OFFICE OF THE COMPANY. Labour Chiefs

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> S. GROVE, SECRÉTARY.

BANK HOLIDAY

The Exchange Banks will be closed for the transaction. public business on Monday, the than any restrictions of law. 29th September, 1947. (Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival Day),

Hongkong 26th September, 1947

U.S. Soldiers Seized

Trieste, Sept. 25. Three American soldiers were are required to deposit HK\$100.00 ton W/M to .15/- per ton W/M seized by Yugoslav troops, on the provisional frontier of the Trieste free state yesterday and an official deposit required to be remitted in China on a through Bill of yet been answered, American at foot of page 1 of Tender Form). gerous cargo, heavy lifts and The men are part of a mounted patrol which was, moving along the frontier outside the town of The Lines are not prepared to Monto Coste, Lieut, William Van against receipt in the Board's accept cargo arriving from Can. Atten of East Range, N. J., saw

> was suddenly covered by Yugoslay officers, and with two enlist-To qualify for this tranship od men, was taken into Yugoslav ment rate it is essential that the territory and sed into the comment of the guards.

NOT A SENSE

Kansas City, Sept. 25. Senator Clyde M. Reed of Kansus said yesterday that he would not vote "another cent for aid to Great Britain until it puts its economic house-includa ing labour—in order." recalled that he had voted for titude to Germany was a "bit- porting. both the British loan and the loan ter disappointment to all. Not Quitting to Greece Associated Press

Manila, Sept. 25. A deep-water port is to be which the Potsdam plan has there to our own people, to the constructed at Dagupan City, been scuppered.
on Lingayen Gulf, Mr. Eugenio "The crucial November con- we are inflexibly? resolved to Building." Representatives, revealed.

He added that Dagupan "We shall never accept as we say to the German people enclosure.

Port would, on the island of final beyond repair any breach about offering them hope. The

Luzon, be second only to even if it comes between the rest of Europe cannot prosper Manila and would cater for East and the West, but what without them; they cannot ocean-going as well as inter- ever happens in November we prosper without the rest of bland traffic Benter. have no intention of letting Europe. Whater

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Attacked Scattle, Sept. 25.

Senator Robert A. Taft today article added, "has already to Jamaica from Birkenhead," accused lebour leaders of "repealing the Wagner Act for their own members" by refusing to their national interests: sign the non-Communist amdavits required by the Taft-Hartley law. He said their refusal would of have more "anti-union" effects

Senator Taft, co-author of the Tast-Hartley Act, made charge in a prepared speech in which he also asserted that the law stopped short of strike controls demanded by the public. An cutright ban on the right strike, he spid, could lead only to regimented economy.

He said union leaders seeking publicity by trying dely the Taft-Hartley law and were thus refusing to sign required affidavits swearing they were not Communists. The law requires such affidavits officers of unions seeking bargain. ing recognition under Wagner Act provisions carried forward in the new law.-United Press.

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Canberra, Sept. 24.

Australia and prohibit Dutch!

Chifley Policy

was a domestic affair.

(Australia announced that

she was directing the Security

Council's attention to the situa-

39 of the Charter on July 30.)

In the House of Representa-

tives earlier, Mr. Joseph Chif-

ley, the Prime Minister, nn-

nounced the appointment of

Mr. Justice Kirby, of the Aus-

tralian Commonwealth Arbitra-

tion Court, as Australia's re-

presentative on the three-na-

tion Committee set up by the

United Nations Security Coun-

cil to help to "make the peace"

between the Dutch and Repub-

Union Demand

Mr. Chifley said that he

licans in Indonesia.

Indonesia case."

bound in the future, he declar- on the Committee.

Mr. Robert Menzies, Opposition leader, bitterly

tralia policy or to her treat- tralian Trades Union Council

ment of New Guinea natives, Executive was demanding to-

ignoring the fact that these day that the Federal Govern-

were domestic affairs 'like the ment close all Dutch bases in

Mr. Menzies was speaking troops from doing the work

and continued:

"Of late, one of the foreign

behind hypocritical phraseology

reality being concerned with

the strengthening of the posi-

tion of his country's imperial-

Foreign Advice

within

months, the Izvestia article de-

clared that the Persian' Gov-

ernment intended to renounce

(The Shah of Persia was re-

liably reported at the begin-

ning of this week to have urg-

ed the Presidential Board of

the Mailis to speed up proceed-

ings to enable the Prime Min-

London. Sept. 24.

ratification

the agreement

FOR FAILURE

Lord Pakenham, Minister responsible for the Bri-

tish Zone of Germany, declared here today

that the "whole Potsdam conception of gov-

of the Soviet Government to carry out the

tions to operate Germany as an economic

Lord Pakenham told a meet Lourselves be permanently ham-

ing of the Foreign Press As- strung in our efforts to enable

Not only Germany, not only "We have no intention what the British tax-payer, but the ever of quitting Germany in

istic circles in Persla.

during a foreign affairs debate, usually performed by Austra-

attacked the Commonwealth Government in

the House of Representatives today for re-

ferring the Indonesian dispute to the United

Nations Security Council when he said that it

WHITE MEN FROM EAST ASIA"

Rangoon, Sept. 24. U Saw, former Burmese Prime Minister, and nine Burmans will face at Rangoon's Inscin Australia's action might re- will join the Australian judge gaol on Oct. 8, accused of slaying Major-General Aung San, Deputy Chairman of the Burma Executive Counoil, and six other Cabinet Ministers last July.

the government.

Government with yielding to They said that Dutch troops ed but named four members Communist policy in Indonesia, were loading vehicles and steel of U Saw's Myochit Party adding: "That policy is to barges into a vessel at Geelong, as the actual assassins. drive the white men from which dockside employees had the whole of the Pacific. If it ban on Dutch goods which is followed, Australia is going could be used for war purlengthy .- Router. to be a very lonely nation." noses in Indonesia.—Reuter. ***************

Russia Spies The

Nigger In

Persian Woodpile

The newspaper Izvestia today blamed "outside

The article referred to the lister, Ghavam es Sultaneh, to

campaign in Persia against present a bill authorising

"The Persian public," the attempt to sail the 4,000 miles

"It is to be expected that the yesterday, but ran into heavy

ruling circles of Persia will weather soon after crossing

also refuse to follow advice the Bar. Her captain, C.C.

from outside directed towards Halliday, decided to return to

rupture of the Soviet-Persian port this morning after all her

Recalling that by its terms, been damaged. ...

Mersey Bar.

given due, appraisal to this after the vessel had received a

foreign diplomat's concern for severe buffeting outside the

fulfilment of the agreement," formation of a joint Soviet-

about the national interests of Beaten Back the Persian people, while in

FOR MURDER

This was announced today when they were formally charged with the murders and conspiracy to overthrow The Advocate-General, Tun Ha Byu, described U Saw as the "Number One" accus-

Declaring that the Crown would call at least 120 witnesses, the Advocate-General said that the trial would be

Moscow, Sept. 24.

Persian oil company.)-Reuter.

Birkenhead, Sept. 25.

The seven-man crew of the

138-ton schooner Brooklands,

today abandohed their second

The 78-years old Brooklands,

which has neither engines nor

radio, set out from Birkenhead

canvas, except the topsail, had

in rough wenther.-Reuter.

ly wounded at Trafalgar.-United Press. Australia's Experiment

Lord Fraser

Portsmouth, Sept. 24.

The Chilean mayal transport,

President Errazuriz, under

Captain Gerard Trudgett,

reached Portsmouth today for

n three-day stay during which

39 cadots aboard will be shown

important British Naval in-

The Chilean Ambassador,

Manuel Bianchi, headed a wel-

come party and he and Captain

Trudgett called immediately on

the Commander-in-Chief. Ports-

mouth, Admiral Lord Fraser,

who then returned the call with-

a brief visit aboard the Chilean

and the captain visited the his-

toric Nelson flagship, H.M.S.

a wreath on the spot on the

Victory, where Trudgett placed

deck where Nelson fell mortal-

Shortly after noon, the cadeta

stallations here.

DRIVE OUT

Herford, Sept. 25. Australia has agreed to accept 18,000 displaced persons from the British and American zines of Germany for work in Australia, and eventual assimilation into the Commonwealth economy.

The scheme is open to displaced persons of all nationalities, who will be invited to apply for Australian citizenship if they prove satisfactory in their work.

influence" for the Persian Government's fai- displaced persons, 550 of whom lure to present to the Majlis (Parliament) for are from the British zone, are ratification the oil agreement made with Rus- due to leave at the end of next sia in April last year for the formation of a month, and a further 750 a joint company to exploit the north Persia oil- north later.—Reuter.

GENEVA TALKS DEADLOCK

London, Sept. 24. The President of the Board cf Trade, Sir Stafford Cripps, will report to the Cabinet torepresent on the deadlock which, it is understood, has been reached in his negotiations with Mr. William Clayton, United States Under-Secretary for Economic Affairs, on Imperial Preferences.

The talks between Sir Stafford Cripps and Mr. Clayton, which began here last week, followed failure to reach an agreement during the trade discussions at Geneva, when tariff concessions offered by countries of the British Commonwealth were rejected by the American representatives as being insufficient. Reuter.

NO AGREEMENT

Lake Success, Sept. 24. The United Nations Security the Russo-Persian oil agree- An attempt to sail last week Council, meeting here in a closment was to be presented to was abandoned after the ves- ed ression tonight, again failed the Persian Parliament for sel's bulwarks were smashed to agree on the choice of a governor for Trieste.-Reuter.

HONG KONG JOCKEY CLUB NOTICE TO MEMBERS EXTRA RACE MEETING. SATURDAY, 27th SEPTEMBER, 1947.

The First Bell will be rung at 2.30 p.m. and the first race will be run at 3.00 p.m. Through numbers (7 races-\$14.-) may be obtained at the Office of the Treasurers, 1st Floor, Exchange Building, MEMBERS' BADGES AND ENCLOSURE. Members are reminded that they and their ladies MUST

wear their badges prominently displayed throughout the Meeting. 'NO ONE WITHOUT A BADGE WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE MEMBERS' ENCLOSURE. Badges admitting non-members to the Members Enclosure and Club Rooms at \$10 including tax are obtainable through the Secretary on the written or personal introduction

Badges admitting to Members' Enclosure will NOT be on sale at the RACE COURSE. The Treasurers Compradore Office will close at 11 a.m. erning Germany has foundered on hesitatey and the Secretary's Office at 12.00 noon. Both Offices at 1st Floor, Exchange Building.

of a member, such member to be responsible for all chits etc.

A limited number of tiffins will be obtainable at the agreement and, above all, to honour its obliga- Club House, provided they are ordered in advance from the No. 1 Boy (Tel. 27818). NO CHILDREN WILL BE ADMITTED TO THE CLUB'S PREMISES DURING THE MERTING. PUBLIC ENCLOSURE.

The price of admission to the Public Enclosure is \$3 in-The Kansas Junior Senator sociation that the Soviet at Germany to become self-sup-cluding tax for all persons including ladies, and is payable at the Gate. Bookniakers, Tic Tac men, etc., will not be permitted to operate within the precincts of The Hong Kong Jockey Club during the Race Meeting.

Refreshments will be obtainable in the Restaurant in the whole world has been paying a any future inter-discussion. We Public Enclosure terrible price for the way in have a special duty to perform

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Restaurant keepers owe it as a duty to the public to see that the milk they use in their trade comes reliable sources, Kerr at Kowloon yesterwhen four sumamonses against Ip Kam-Nathan Road, for allegedly selling unpasteurised milk were heard.

The summonses related to the manufacturer in English, when he was intercepted. He medicine and professing to tion Corps. and (b) the words "Recon- further stated that he did not practice medicine substituted. stituted Milk" in (1) English know the regulations. and (2) Chinese.

Action against the defendant was taken as the result of information supplied by Chin Ming (who was convicted) and fined a total of \$2,000 or Sept. 11 on five summonses in not in custody, robbed ture and sale of reconstituted watch and \$35 in cash inquiries made by the Health! Department.

Search

The Welcome Cafe was searched by Health Inspector Yau Ka-pak on Aug. 21, said Senior Health Inspector C. milk were found in the refrigerators.

disc on which was stated that contents were milk pasteurised at 103 Tam of two years. Kung Road.

The name of the dairy was given, in Chfoese, as King Sing-a fictitions concern, declared Mr. Strange.

submitted for analysis, con- run consecutively. timied Mr. Strange, and the D.S.I. Waldron informed the subscription is \$5 and further details can be be ablained through the Adjutant. and 4.75 per cent. non-solid this incident. fats as against 8.5 cent.

"Innumerable" ganisms in the milk "innumerable," while the Coliform organisms present were 1.000 times more than that

permitted. Mr. Strange went on to say defendant actually ob-

Defendant was fined \$500 on the first summons and \$25 each Ping were fined \$75 for a simion the remaining three, mak- lar offence at the Ko Shing 12.30 p.m.—Daily Programme Summers.



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adjournment.

After evidence further hear-

Inspector Moran prosecuted.

Children's Christmas Party. (a) It

intended to give a Christman party for

involved is arrived at as early as possible,

Adjutant stating the number of their

British Legion. The Honk Kong Brigade

reconstituted in the Colony, and all

Volunteers and ex-Volunteers with War

Part 2 Orders. Order No. 32/47:Arrival. The following have arrived in the Colony:

Captain S.M. Hard, Captain R. Egal,

RADIO

with Archie Lewis (Vocal).

1.10 b.m. - Orchestral Interlude.

6.30 p.m .- Light Plano Parade.

sented by Monica Jacks.

1.15 p.m.-Balled Memories.

1.50 p.m.-Popular Clauses.

2.00 p.m.-Close Down.

Orchestra.

from Dritain,

8.35 p.m .-- Violin Interlude,

RigantL

1.00 p.m .- News, Weather Report and

6.00 p.m .- Studio: Children's Half-Hour.

6.50 p.m .- Louis Betancourt and His

7.00 p.m .- Studio: "You Asked for It"-

8.00 p.m .- Lotidon Relay: World News. 8.10 p.m .- London Relay: Home News

\$.15 p.m .- Studio: Vocal Recital by

8.45 p.m.-Studio: George Pearson and

9.65 p.m. B.B.C. Transcription Bervice:

10.10 p.m.—Weather Report.

10.11 p.m.—"La Traviata" (Verdi) Act.

B With Principale, Chorus and

Orchestra of the Opera House

tery Play by Peter Cheyney.

9.45 p.m .- "Musical Sweethearto".

10.00 p.m .- London Ilelays News.

Variety Request Programme pre-

Marie Kwok with Plano accom-

panied; by the Very Rey, Father

His Beach Boys with Mari (Vocal).

"The Porfumed Murder". A Mys-

(8gd.) J. WESTON, Captain,

Adjutant, H.K.V.D. Corps.

Captain C. d'Almada e Castro.

children who may be attending.

Lee Belser, an Overseas Originally charged with pro-Chinese recently arrived from curing an abortion and posthe United States, charged be- session of a dangerous drug, fore Mr. F.X. d'Almada at Wong Ping Cheung, 56, widow. Botelho. tim, Welcome Cafe, 321 Central yesterday with driving of No. 28 Wellington Street, without an appropriate licence first floor appeared before Mr. | Canton District Court Procuravehicle, svas fined \$250 on both terday.

Cheung Cheuk-nam, who pleaded guilty to a charge of 11 months' hard tabour on having, together with another connection with the manufac- Shiu-fung of a metal wrist milk) during the preliminary July 28, 1947, was yesterday ing was adjourned to Oct. 8. sentenced to ten years' impri-! sonment with hard labour and 12 strokes by Mr. Justice T. J. Gould (Additional Judge).

Accused was, on Manday last, sentenced by Mr. Justice E.H Williams (Puisne Judge), E.D., Acting Commandant, H.K.V.D. to two years' imprisonment Corph Order No. 35/47 dated Sept. 25. Strange, when 32 bottles of with hard labour when found 1947. guilty on a charge of conspiring to rob. The sentence the children of Volunteers cometime in China." All the bottles bore a false of ten years' imprisonment December. (b) Only children between the imposed yesterday is to run ours of 6 and 14 will be invited; and it is pasteurised concurrently with the sentence essential that an estimate of the numbers (c) Will all Volunteers and widows of

STAND-OVER MAN Reappearl v after a remand of the British Legion has recently been

In reality, the milk was of 24 hours o produce a witmanufactured at 26 Cheong ness Fung cung, 29, charged service are eligible for membership. The Lok Street, a Chinese tenement with demanding money with Commandant is very anxious that as house, and had never passed memaces and assault, was sen- many members of the Corps as possible shoes. Hul's left arm was inthrough the Tam Kung Road tenced to four months on the primary objects:(a) Provision for disfirst charge and two months abled and wounded soldiers: (b) Assis-Samples of the milk were on the second, the charges to tance to their dependents in destitute cir-

cumstances. The annual membership report received from the Gov. Court that every effort had Hong Kong Services Rifle Association. ernment Chemist stated that been made to locate defen- Practice Shoots will be held on Saturday, the milk contained 1.65 per dant's witness, but it appeared Sept. 27 and Sunday, Sept. 28. Launch cent. of solid fats instead of that the witness had left for timings:-Saturday, Sept. 271 Queen's timings :- Saturday, Bept, 27: Queen's the standard 3.25 per cent., the country immediately after ters. Star Ferry Steps-Kowloon Dep. 1445 for East Pier, Stonecutters, East

Defendant then asked the Pler Stonecutters Return 1659 for Star unwistrate to aversing lenionary Ferry Steps-Kowloon and Queen's Pler. magistrate to exercise leniency Sunday, Sept. 28: Queen's Pier Dept. 0915 The Government Pathologist and to take into consideration for East Pler, Stonecutters, Star Ferey that this was his first offence, Steps-Kowloon Dep! 0030 for East Pier, Mr. d'Almada said it was a Stonecutiers. East Pler Stonecutters Revery serious offence and could and Queen's Pier. not be view lightly.

EVADED: TAX

Charged with evading paytained the milk from a man, ment of entertainment tax Chiu Ming, who manufactured Ching Chung, 25, Mak Fuk, it in an indescribably dirty 25 and Mak Man, 36, were each rear cubicle of a Chinese fined \$25 by Mr. F.X. d'Almatengment house at Cheong Lok da at Central yesterday.

Street.

There was absolutely no Entertainment Department from 12.15 to 2.00 p.m., and 6.00 for pasteurisation or sterilisation of the defendants occurving goats in the 31 metre band from of the utensils on the defendants occurving goats. tion of the utensils on the defendants occupying seats in from 12.15 to 1.15, 7.30 to 8.30 and the back stalls without tickets. 9.15 to 11.00 p.m. Ng Kau, Ng Kam and Lo H.K.T.



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Widow Faces Three judicial officials of the Chinese Government were shown over the Courts of Justice yesterday by Chief Justice Sir Henry Blackall, and Supreme Court Registrar Mr. H. A. de B.

The Chinese officials were and driving and unlicenced F. X. d'Almada at Central yes- tors Wong Shu-long and Lui Wing-cheong, and Canton Pence On the application of In-Preservation Corps Tribuna Defendant stated that he had spector Moran, since the prin- Judge, Tong Yat-shal, who arthe alleged sale of unpasteur- brought the car from the cipal witness for the prosecu- rived in the Colony on Wednes ised reconstituted milk on Aug. States. He had just taken the tion had disappeared, was day to obtain information from 21, selling the milk in con- car out of the Kowloon Go- withdrawn and two fresh the local authorities concerned tainers the disc of which down and was on the way to charged of using titles imply- on the trial last March of two failed to bear (a) the name of the Hong Kong Hotel Garage ing qualification to practice members of the Peace Preserva-

During their visit to the Mr. Peter Sin for the de- Supreme Court yesterday, the fendant stated that as he had three Chinese officials were inno notification of the new | terested spectators for a short charges he would ask for an while of the Criminal Sessions trial of a Chinese travelling Mr. d'Almada said that be trader arraigned before (Puisne fere granting the adjournment Judge), Justice E. H Williams, he would like to hear the pro- on a charge of attempted mursecution's witnesses and added der. that this would benefit accused.

Duel · It was learned that the three officials plan to visit the accre where the gun duel occurred in which the two Corps members were involved.

Government spokesman said yesterday that the three Chinese officials had come take depositions from the Corps members (now serving a fouryear sentence at Stanley) in connection with "a case in

HOLD-UP

deceased Volunteers please write to the While walking along Jordan Road in the vicinity of the King George V playground at about B n.m. yesterday, Hui Sing, Chinese male, aged 19, was held up by three men and rebbed of \$60 in cash and one pair of brown should join the Legion which has as its jured during a scuffle with the





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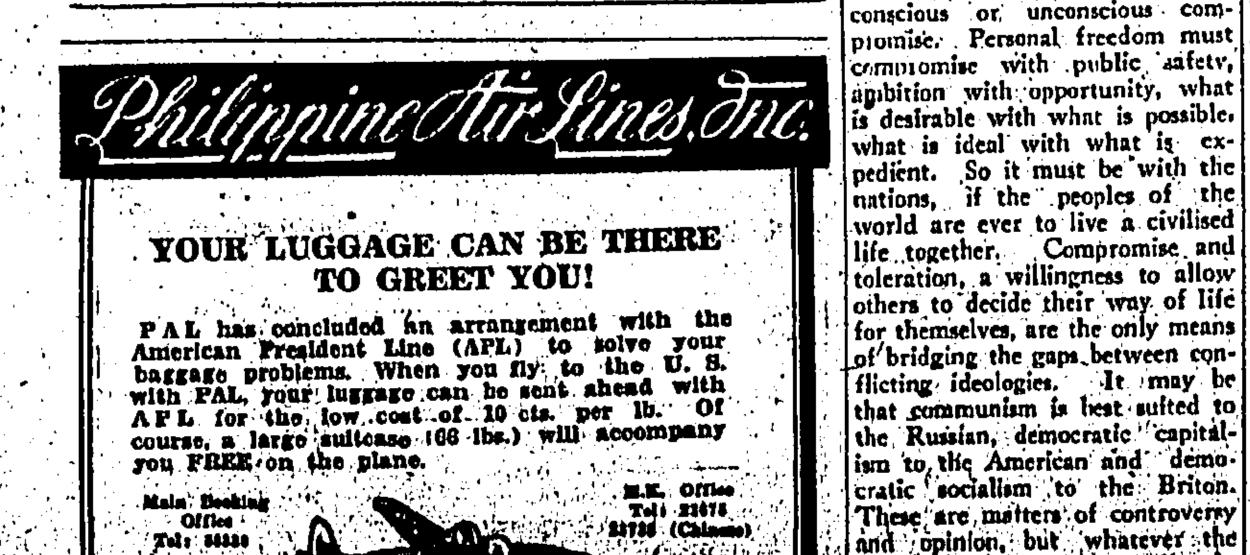
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ties; there can be no further

evasion. The final decision must

rest largely in the hands of the

Soviet Union, which has been

responsible for a policy of delay-

ing every effort, blocking every

proposal and sabotaging every at-

tempt to arrive at reasonable

agreement. Her policy of the

formation, by pressure of all kinds,

of an eastern European bloc,

be heard.

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facilities; and the employment of straints obviously apply. labour. Anything less than that, it is authoritatively represented as the sovereign view, would be improper and unfair to a scrimping and frequently querulous

pleusure, the queen-to-be and her finnce considered spending at tenst part of their worlding holiwith the Princess' great-uncle. of the Royal Family.

At last, the full extent and depth side these restrictions, but are becoming clear in the publi- more, although thrift is the prime sumably counting heavily in stination. been long aware that fundamen- judgment, would be a desire tal differences exist throughout scrupulously to avoid any apthe whole structure of inter-penrance of partiality, any sugnational relations; we have seen gestion, however dim, that conference after conference, on part of the Commonwealth and the most vital issues, break up in Empire was being favoured over

Postponement

despair of reconciling conflicting and inflexible views. We have As many regard it, this would watched, with growing disquiet, be merely postponing the inthe spirit of obstruction, intoler- evitable, however, for it is genance and unwillingness to co- erally assumed that the couple sation, chief hope of our future following a custom established the first break from the American Sine-Russian relations based on peace, falling into disuse and imweds. Recent rumour that Prin-The future will not, any long- honeymoon voyage to Australia that China would not support the their policy toward Russia, the

we to divide the world again into ful fishing."

. It is no secret that young veto power. opposing camps, arming for another and perhaps final conflict? Philip would like to revisit Aus-The issue is before us now, with tralia, where as a popular junior said this, but it can not be over- finitely do not want that to be beall its stark and terrible possibili-

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bound to her side by chains of kept there by the of your intelligent renders would force of her overwhelming take into serious consideration, proximity and power, has made it and favour the community with their cpinions, as to whether :t all too clear that the nucleus of is for the weal or the woe of one camp is already in existence. this settlement that Chinese are Mr. Hector McNeill. Minister borrowing money on House proof State, in his address to the perty at rates of interest from forceful and eloquent appeal to some to us unknown reason for Moscow, to drop her inflexible getting rid of their property at and unvielding attitude on world anything they can obtain for it? problems. He warned that "the Or is it that the Trade of the mostable peace of the world will juerative that they can afford to crumble and crash" with hideous pay out of profits interest at the consequences if the policy of try- rate of 120 per cent per annum, ing to force her own will upon at which rate I am told there is now one deed at least recorded the world, is continued. It has in the Land Office.

been said in somequarters, that "I think there ought to be an Mr. McNeill's speech can only equitable limit of interest fixed result in a further widening of on all loans secured by real prothe gap. Surely the gap is so wide sonal security it should not be already that only the plainest of interfered with."-Yours. P. L.

plain speaking can reach over to This is precisely one of the the other side. The international subjects which calls for the innir is so full of suspicion and terference of a local legislature; and we, apprehend that an or-Only a genuine willingness for England or with the courts of civilised life. The whole life of Hong Kong legislation.

any community, from the earliest COMMISSARIAT | OFFICE-Palaeolithic family clan to the Tenders will be received at this great national clans of today, has Office until 12 o'clock on Wednesbeen ever increasingly a life of day for BILLS to be drawn by conscious or unconscious com- the Undersigned at 30 days'. promise. Personal freedom must of Her Majesty's Treasury, to SA73 compromise with public safety, the extent of about TWELVE H9 ambition with opportunity, what THOUSAND POUNDS STER- DAK 853 desirable with what is possible. LING, in exchange for British CJ 542 what is ideal with what is ex- Money, Rupces, or Mexican and pedient. So it must be with the Tonders..... to express the rate untions, if the peoples of the per cent for British money or the world are ever to live a civilised Sterling Rate at which each of life together. Compromise and the other Coins may be offered. (Sgd). J. W. Smith, Assistant vulnerable). Commissary-General. 🚉

of bridging the gaps between con- problems in the light of experi- Pass

nation is better off financially. It is known that King George Zealand, Canada and South not be getting married for a long VI has insisted upon the fullest Africa, or of one of several Am- time, and therefore the public as economy, _in the spending of erican invitations. Here, too, how- well as Princess Elizabeth demoney, the use of materials and ever, the same kober, frugal re- serves an unqualifiedly Royal

In The South

country house, in the usually there's not much hope of improve-more element south of England, ment soon, so just for once let's which would be offered by friends make a splash and try to forget Prior to the recent imposition of the Royal Family for as long our troubles." Deputy of a ban on all foreign travel for as the couple wished to remain. To which is added by large num-

limited to the absolute dis- day: day abroad, poscibly in Norway, claimer, "We haven't a clue as "The biggest splash that could to where they will spend their be made over the wedding would King Haakon, but reports have it honeymoon and you may be sure be so small in proportion that it that the King decided against - that any preparations are being would mean practically no difspecial dispensation for a member nade very carefully and conference in the lives of the peo-of the Royal Family. Sidentially in order to avoid as pie. Whether the wedding is the day among the Great Powers. A trip to one of the British much as possible an appalling lavish or austere, whether the Dominions would possibly fall out- publicity." The public may not Princess and Philip honeymoon even know where Princess at home or go overseas, the peoof the rifts between the nations would be expensive. What is Elizabeth and Lleut. Mounthat ple will get no more clothes or ten are going until they

The world's most famous made many friends during the That would be right with the romantic, couple - Princess war years, but it is thought un- aldo of the public which favours Elizabeth and Lleut. Philip likely that personal wishes would an uncompromising austerity, ex-Mountbatten-are to be content outweigh more practical con- pressing itself against any undue fuss. Opposed to this conviction, land of scarcity, with the prospect The Royal couple could alternathough, is no small weight of of a wedding trip abroad when the tively avail itself of the repeated opinion which argues that an-

.. The Reasoning

The reasoning is like --- this: The choice will probably be a "Our lives are drab enough, and

bers wanting plenty of pomp and Official comment has been ceremony and a great public holi-

have food or fuel or anything else. So city of recent speeches. We have consideration, another factor, pre- actually arrived at their de- let's do it in style."-Associated

Shift In Far East Background

will visit a distant part of the in the background with American- and Foreign Minister Wang may operate, which permentes the Commonwealth, most likely Aus- led opposition to Soviet Russia carry more weight these days in councils of the nations. We can tralin or New Zealand or both, reaching a climax at the United China's foreign policy. see the United Nations Organi- next year. In so doing it would be Nations Assembly. It may mean , All along they have advocated

generations ago by Royal newly camp by an important member. | neighbourly friendship. It is poscess Elizabeth was planning a Shih-chich casually let it be known ing a kind of independence in er, whit upon events; now and and New Zealand in the great American effort to avoid the big Chinese partly are reacting to the no, later, we must decide, for carried the Royal Family on the nese peace treaty. He said China President Truman's fact finder, good or for evil, upon the shape historic trip to South Africa, was all for the American propos- Lieut-General Albert C. Wedeof things to come. Are we to found no substantiation at Buck- at to bring to the peace con- meyer. resurrect the long-buried spirit of ingham Palace, whose spokesmen ference all 11 nations who fought. Such a reaction might hasten compromise and tolerance, or are "absolute speculation" and "hop- insist that the Big Four, who did material help for Nanking. If most of the fighting, retain the such help does not come,

> This was not the first time he place among the powers and deofficer in His Majesty's navy he looked that he said it again just tween Russian and American millas a State Department spokes- stones. man professed to know nothing about what amounts to China slding with Russia on the veto

On Saturday, Nanking announced the return soon of Soviet Amin Moseaw since June, when he was recalled without explanation at the time of Sino. Russian tension over the Sinkinng-Outer Mongelia

trouble. Ready To Resume

"Sir,—I wish much that some News, Government organ which at the state of China's relations sons of Don Jaime as his heir which accepted it on conditions saying Petrov's return would open fluence. a new road to Sino-Russian co-

There has been a quiet shift like Prime Minister Chang Chun

China's Foreign Minister Wang sible, of course, that in declar-

Chinese must find their

Chinese Concept

However, to think that such immediate factors alone dictate the apparent swing in Chinese bassador Apollon Petrov. He has policy is to under-estimate the Chinese concept of their country's geographic and strategic resition. signs a fresh renunciation on In their view, friendly relations with Russia in the long run are dren. border perhaps as necessary as friendly relations with America are vital

Even in the controlled Chinese The Nanking Central Daily Press, there is growing irritation planned to name one of the So she offered it to the Zoo normally is among the first to air with Moscow, and a growing and successor. In this, they that she pays for its beard-reanti-Russian sentiment in China, tendency to blame it-and many say, he was helped by Jaime's sidence ... Hundreds of lepers quoted "authoritative sources" at other things—on American in- wife, Dona Emanuela, from escaped from Japan's 14 lepro-

In regard to Japan, all sections operation and help dissolve dead- of the Chinese Press are eager for an early peace, but not at This hints that China is willing China's cost. They fear outto resume dickering about such spekenly that America will build ticklish problems as Dairen and Japan back into a world power Sinklang, and that Moscow is too, as a bulwark against Russia. To It does not mean that overnight prevent that, the Chinese can be China is going pro-Russian, far expected to value any help they from it. It does mean that Chinese can get.-Associated Press.

BARCLAY ON BRIDGE By Shepard Barclay

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A singleton of some suit If North had known positively doubt, so thick with distrust and dinance to correct an evident opposite your partner's No Trump from the bidding that South had recrimination, that mild and abuse would be very generally bid is not necessarily a liability five or more trumps, his choice they are back again—in civilian reasonable voices can no longer approved of. In this there will unless it is in the suit he bid would have been emphatically be no unconstitutional meddling earlier. If it is in the opponents the right action. But he didn't suit, your inability to furnish know. He merely reckoned the two leads of it for finesses, or to suit was "probably" that long. compromise can save the situation law; while the act itself would help solidity the suit, is not imfrom further disastrous deteriora- display a proper and becoming portant since your partner probe seeing the singleton, switched to take up work as a civil on- man, Australian Minis-Compromise has been in regard for the welfare of the ably will not lead that suit at his heart 9, which South won gineer. There seems little ter of Defence and Rethe very blood and bones of man- fore have been a more deal ir- may be considered an asset, as which the A won, and then West ny south is so strong that, if construction, who rekind from the first dawn of ritated and never benefitted by it is only through the shortage offered the club 2, which East in your other sult or suits.

5 K Q 8 4 2 HAJ5 CKQ76 W E | 1074 II Q 10 8

DQJ92 (Dealer: West, Neither side West North East Pass Pain

flicting ideologies. It may be ence. Only by living and letting North took that contract from DJ that communism is best suited to live within the framework of an No Trumps into Hearts because CJ83 the Russian, democratic capitalinternational family clan can the of his singleton in diamonds. He
ism to the American and demoworld hope for approsperity and
sons for it. First, his trump
cratic socialism to the Briton. neace. It must be our earnest probably would furnish a trick These are matters of controversy prayer that those responsible, in or two by rulling which could not

worse than useless, since that singleton was the cause of his having desirable length in the black suits—an asset.

After the diamond K. West, that you have the length he likes got with the A. That made three tricks for the defence, and it was mpossible to keep East from getting the setting trick in trumps. have been scored in the two Rome.) majors and it would have been impossible to keep South from scoring the game trick in one of

Tomorrow's Problem

D A 10 9 8 7 4 ·C A 10 9 7 N BQ 10 0 8 H A 10 D K Q 6 8 K 8 6 5 2 H 9 8 2

North. North-South

Says No!

"I don't like your attitude, Mulcahy! You know I pro-

washed this morning!"

dicted fair weather and you deliberately had your car

Spotlight on World News Sent By Team of

among Spain's monarchists has incubators to show the eggs been averted by a gettogether how to behave. From this of Don Juan, Pretender to the farm it is hoped to secure suf-

to nothing.

Throne on his marriage 11 adder you can get 7s 6d, and years ago and included his is- for a cobra up to 18s. (From sue in this waiver. But, in the Cyril Walling, Cape Town.) second week of this month, along comes Don Jaime in an aeroplane from Rome, and behalf of himself and his chil- won a live calf in a slogan con-

that Franco, unable to come to keep it and cannot very well any agreement with Don Juan, swallow it whole. whom he is separated and who sariums at the end of the war. urged upon the Caudillo the Many live with their families, claims of her eldest son, Al- others wander Abroad unsus-

the Spaniards by nominating a | Four hundred cases were dis-Royal Prince to succeed him, covered among soldiers rewould have invoked the law to patriated from China and the say that a prospective father | Philippines. could not pledge his unborn children in this way say the been arrested on a charge of gossips. The new renunciation destroying evidence on black of Don Jaime puts paid to that. market cases in his court. (From Cedric Salter, Estoril.)

They Go-They Come Back

Among the few remaining troops in Italy it appears to be quite the custom, when the blessed day of returning home for demobilisation arrives, to say au revoir rather than 'good-bye.' Many of the boys have scarcely left us before

One R.T.O. at an important railway station was quickly praying for the return of back after demobilisation to Hitler, Mr. John Ded-Army regulations were not so cently returned from the strict about returning to Bri-International Trade talks tain to be demobilised many troops, would take their dis- in Geneva, told the If North had left the 3-No charge out here amid southern House of Representatives Trumps in, eight tricks could music. (From Prudence James, today.

The League Pays Dividents

may have been politically bank- after, the end of the war in rupt but financially, it was a Europe no decision has yet been roaring success. Its assets made as to the level of industry were recently transferred to to be permitted in Germany to UNO, and it appears that not build up her economy. only did the buildings, and "I believe that, to a very conlibraries of Geneva represent siderable extent; the fault lies a value of four million pounds, with Russia. but that cash and securities re- But steps could have been presented another ten million. faken to rehabilitate the / por-Nations which stuck to the tions of Germany not under League to the very end but do Soviet control. not belong to UNO are being "Until Germany, is reconoffered a handsome refund cor- structed, you cannot ret ahead responding to their members with the rehabilitation of ship fees paid in Bwitzer-Europe, and the United Kinganswer, all systems are still sub- sup perfecting the bearing the bearing the bearing the bearing the bearing the bearing the considered it had to leave a lifty or were gambling for a offered over a bounded their whatever the all countries for widering the considered it had to leave a lifty or were gambling for a offered over a bounded their whatever the all countries will think and the considered it had to leave a lifty or were gambling for a offered over a bounded their whatever the all countries will think and the bearing the leave a lifty or were gambling for a offered over a bounded their other countries will be affected. In continual modification and living wells will be affected. The leave a large gambling of the leave and bounds in U.S. dollars. Other countries will be affected. In the leave a large gambling of the leave and bounds in U.S. dollars. Other countries will be affected. In the leave gambling for a large gambling for a la

Don Jaime Again If you are among the many who are coming to South Afri-

da, do not be afraid that snakes will be nestling in every ash tray or drawer. They are now so scare that they are being bred on a spe-

Special Correspondents clai one-acre farm equipped possibly serious split with a laboratory, sick-bay, and Spanish Throne, and his elder ficient snake serum to cure the brother, Don Jaime, Pretender diseases against which it is

The latter, who has been | Snake breeding is profitable deaf and dumb since birth, re- and there has been a steady nounced all claims to the rise in prices paid. For a puff

Fatted Calf Is A Problem

Pity Mrs. Nakamura. She test to overcome the fodder Why? Well, they tell you shortage. She has nowhere to

pected, and a sharp increase in France, anxious to placate their numbers is expected.

A Supreme Court judge has (From Richard Hughes, Tokio.)

Prayers For

Canberra, Sept. 24. 'Ninety per cent of people in Germany are

Speaking in a foreign affairs debate, he declared: "That is because they are in utter despair. and misery.

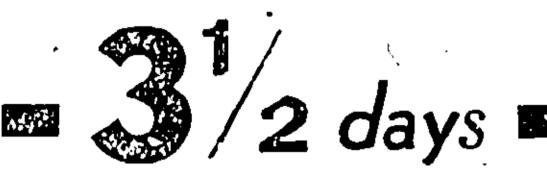
The old League of Nations "It is deplorable that so long



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RUSSIA GAINS POPULARITY IN MIDDLE EAST NATIONS

Sequel To Support Of Egypt

Russia has gained more popularity among Egyptians by her stand in favour of Egypt at the Security Council than by all other means she had previously tried, the majority of political observers in Cairo believe,

The Egyptian Government has come out and said that it will not forget the countries that have stood by Egypt's side during her critical hours and this includes Russia, although that same Government headed by Mahmoud Fahy el Nokrashy Pasha had in the past reiterated that its policy is diametrically opposed to Communism.

The situation, as it stands at

Boycott

The rival parties may differ

The attitude towards the

port the Egyptian aspirations.

France Attacked

Political observers draw the

conclusion, therefore, that the

ernment - desire to atrengthen

States and hope that by Indica-

Council has caused a storm of

protest against these two coun-

ries. Both the press and political circles have attacked

support for their demands.

-United Press.

ment is placed under an obliga- present, is that the country is tion to Russia and her ally generally extremely antagonis-Poland, and the first results the to Britain and all groups are were quick to appear -- an united in wanting the end of Egyptian delegation went to British military occupation of Moscow to attend the eighth any part of Egypt and the List Before Moscow to attend the eighth any part of Egypt and the jublice of the city of Moscow. Sudan, and the termination of any treaty between the two coun-

But where the Russian popul tries. arity has scared to really great heights is among the politicallyminded workers, students and lower classes, and among the over the question of procedure, extreme nationalists all of whom but they are all unanimous in are now advocating closer ties clamouring for immediate with Russia, and conversely, less evacuation. They want to boyrelations with Britain and the cott British goods and appeals United States. There have been have been sent that no Egyptian cothusiastic demonstrations in is to provide supplies to the Cavour of the Soviet Union and British troops in the Suez Canal Nagainst Britain. So far the area. United States had escaped any major blast.

Moslems Friendly

Hafez Bamadam Pasha, chief of the Nationalist Party, was the first recognised leader to annonnee that since Russia was supporting Egypt, then Egypt should strengthen her relations with the Soviets.

This declaration was followed powerful Moslem during the Security Council's Brotherhood sending a delega- 10-day recess, Premier Noktion to the Russian Legation to rashy Pasha announced he was thank the Minister for his coun- studying plans to get an Ameritry's stand. In the past the can military mission which Brotherhood had stated that would aid in modernising Communism was contrary to Egyptian Army to enable it to the principles of Islam, but at ensure the defence of the Suez present their attitude was Canal, and Egyptian territory switched to readiness to be- in general. friend Russia because of her sympathetic attitude to Egypt,

SOVIET BETS ON CRISIS IN U.S.

Moncow, Sept. 24.
The leading Soviet economist, Professor Eugene Var-ga, declared in the political magazine New Times that the Marshall plan cannot "save the United States from the inevitable economic crisis which is already overtaking America."

He added: "The aim of the Murshall plan, an also is the whole course of American foreign policy, is the estab-tishment of political and economic domination of the United States over the world, and firstly over Europe."-

Nuremberg, Sept. 25. A former German Field Marshal, Sigmund Wilhelm List, charges of war crimes against Europe. civillan populations.

United States is still undeter- ity and Duty."

mined, as the American delegastayed very much in the background during the Anglo-Egyptian dispute. Official Reuter. sources have privately hinted

that the Egyptians hope that the Americans will ultimately sup-When he visited Washington FOR HIMSEIT

Parls, Sept. 25. week's financial fact-finding general. visit to Paris, will fly to Ber-! said this afternoon.

Prime 'Minister and by M. Ro- -Reuter. bert Schuman, the Finance Egyptians - at least the Gov-

French leaders, it was learn-ed here, have told Mr. Snyder Jap Mines On their relations with the United ! ting this desire they will in retaken to stabilize the franc Florida Beach and French internal economy which will be made public dur-French and Belgium opposition to Egypt at the Security Ing the first week of October. ---Reuter.

GREEK WAR

France and Belgium and accused them of being undemocratic and band numbering 350 and Greek Florida in the wake of the imperialistic. These circles Government troops in the big winds. point out that both these coun- mountains along the northern tries have economic interests in sheres of the Gulf of Corinth. Egypt which would best be was reported by the Greek from Japan, said Lt. Jay Lay served by befriending Egypt. news agency tonight. Politically, France, they believe,

Fighting is still going on. In the first encounter 45 tured mines which had been could have staged a come-back into Middle East politics and guerilla dead were counted and used in the wartime a popularity by supporting Egypt. 30 prisoners were taken.—Reu- water demolition school.

Searching Enquiry Demanded Into B.O.A.C. And Tudors

London, Sept. 24. Sir Roy Dobson, Managing Director of the aircraft firm of A. V. Roe and Company, today saw the Minister of Supply, Mr. John Wilmot, to fol-low up his declared intention of pressing for "the most searching enquiry" into the reported unfavourable attitude taken by the British Overseas Airways Corporation towards his company's airliner Tudor I for trans-Atlantic

Sir Roy Dobson yesterday by a further 53. quoted the BBC for the report Sir Roy commented that most the Tudor I should be scrapped as an nirliner and converted in-

ments in the BOAC had always ported to have demanded.-Reupreferred American aircraft. He ter. conteded to the Tudor I's rival. the Constellation, only that 'it was faster and has a longer range. On the other hand he drew IMMIGRATION attention to the fact that it cost \$200,000 againm tho Tudor's .#140,000. am convinced that the Immigration, declared in a press

trunk route in the world and they

that the BOAC had decided that of the modifications were "quite It would be impossible, he said, to convert the mir. liner to a He alleged that certain ele- freighter as, the BOAC were re-

Canberra, Sept 25. Arthur Calwell, Minister of Minister is very serious about statement, yesterday: that the some action quickly. The Tudor I the British Commonwealth will could be operated on shy major he determined the made the made the made the could be operated on shy major he determined the made the made the made the could be operated on the major of the determined the made the made the made the could be operated on the major of the determined the made the made the could be operated on the could be operated on the major of the determined the major of the could be operated on the could be opera be determined by redistribution

Bulgaria's recently suppressed opposition party, the Agrarian Union, who was sentenced to death on a charge of treason last month, was hanged in the Central Prison, Sofia, this morning, it was officially announced today. The sentence was carried out

Gallows

Sofin, Bulgaria, Sept. 25.

Nikola Petkov, the leader of

Petkov

Goes

in the presence of the Prosecutor-General of the Sofia Regional Tribunal, after a commission of the Bulgarian Ministry of Justice had submitted a report saying there was no reason for the country's President to commute the sentence.

A British Foreign Office spokesman said later that the news of Petkov's execution was so grave that a statement on it could only be framed by the Foreign Secretary, Mr. Ernest Bevin himself.

It is one of the first matters today described himself as "an Mr. Bevin is expected to give officer of the old school" when his attention to on his return he and 10 other former Ger- today from the Paris plenary man generals faced trial be- session of the conference on fore an American court on the Marshall plan for aid to

The execution of the former His definition of "the old Bulgarian opposition leader, school" was that it always Nikola Petkov, was described stuck to the principles of as "judicial murder," in a "Christianity, Justice, Human- statement issued today by Lord Vansittart, the former He himself was not aware of permanent Under Secretary in tion at the Security Council has having given any orders that the British Foreign Office, Mr. were contrary to Christian or Clement Davies, the leader of ethical principles, he stated.— the Parliamentary Liberal Party, and Mr. Raymond Blackburn, a Labour Member of Parliament.

"The judicial murder of Petkov," the statement said, "shows the clear resemblance between M. Dimitrov (the Prime Minister of Bulgaria), Mr. John. W. Snyder, the like Communist dictators in Secretary of the United States general, and Hitler and Goer-Treasury, who has been on a ing, like Fascist dictators in

"Let us learn the lesson that lin tomorrow for a three or there must be no appeasement four day visit, the United of Communism and that we States Embassy spokesman must never again invite aggression by being weak. On The spokesman said that Mr. the contrary, we must be strong Snyder was invited to Paris and resolute in our defence of by M. Paul Ramadier, the freedom and the rule of law."

Vero Breach, Florida,

A Navy demolition expert took the kick out of six Japanese mines which turned up on the beaches today after

The Japanese mines obvious-McCool, the Navy expert. He believed they were cap-

used in the wartime under-Mines used by the school were later buried but winds and waters of last week apparently disinterred them. - United

Nuremberg, Sept. 25.

AFFIDAVITS ON I.G. FARBEN

Affidavits by company directors, placed in evidence teday at the trial of I. G. Farben dye trust executives here, showed that as early as 1933—fully two years before Hitler officially rearmed Germanythere was an air force sufficiently advanced to order magnesium incendiary bombs. Director Ernst Struss anid the secret Luftwaffe carried out a number of air tests of camouslage before approving the design for the Farben factory near Aachen. 3. Construction began secretly in 1988 and a year later, even casings for lombs were being produced and stored under the code label "textile tubes."

-Farben squeiched competitors in the field of light metals before and during the war and even made sure Farben got the jump on the Hermann Goering works, according to confidential interpossice memos introduced in evidence. These revealed that Farben in February 1985 pulled strings to keep the Wintershall magneslum factory out of competition—United Press.

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Los Angeles

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STOCK EXCHANGE REACTION TO POSSIBLE EXTRA BUDGET

Initial Declines Forecast

London, Sept. 24. The news that the Cabinet is waiting the expert report of the Joint Planning Board before deciding whether to present a special autumn budget confirms the impression that there will be an autumn budget directed against the London Stock Exchange.

Inversely it may benefit the Stock Exchange's issues which, being domiciled overseas, are immune from British budgets and other uncertainties here.

But these cuts would mainly

hit labour and high city quarters

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London, Sept. 24.

could the shareholders

tax on distributed profits.

argue that it would

less dividends.-Reuter.

initiative. Many managements and

Without Governmental meas | capital projects do not require sures to curb surplus spending any budget. power, all crisis measures hither- [. A budget is when Government to aggravate rather than cure the comes to Parliament for taxes The Government does not have Without appropriate fiscal to come to Parliament to say

policies, small imports, bigger that it intends to spend less or experts and higher incomes for subsidies, capital projects or anyharder work, combine to ag- thing. gravate the problem of too much money chasing too few goods. Remitting this essentially gov- are convinced that an autumn ernmental decision to technical budget would be designed to hit experts indicates an attempt to capital, simply as a political disguise a political decision as a counterpart. Thus its main technical matter.

Welcome Measures to cut Government's expenditure on food subsidies or

> H.K. Stock Exchange

A passably active day. H.K. Govt. Louini 4% Lann 107b; 11445 Loan 101b. Bankar H.K. & S. Bank 2000b, 2005at, (Lon, Reg.) £11134n; Chartered Bank £16-15/16n; Mercantile Hank A. & B E22n; Bank of East Asia 110b.

Insurances: Canton Ins. 407b. 415. themselves. Union Ins. 795b; China Underwriters 9b, 9 tan, 9 tann; H.K. Fire Inn. 285b. business belongs to the share-Bhipping: Douglases 260n; R.K. & M. Steamboats 1414n; Indo Chinas (Pref. holders as much as dividends 101n. (Def.) 578n; Shells (Bearer) Such a budget would simply 85/71 in: Union Waterbeats (Old) 43b, mean more ploughing back and

43 %en, (New) 42 9en, Docks, Whatves, Godowns, etc.; H.K. A K. Whnrves 245b, C. Rts. 2454n; H.K. Docks 4219b, 48s, 43/42 % sa; China Providents 25b, 2544s, 2344/4 an: Shanghal Dockyards 1714a; Wharves (X. Rts.) 175n, {Rights; 66b, 66am. Mining: Raub Mines 54n; R.K. Mines

Lands, Hotels & Bldgs,: H. & S. Hotels 26 % b. 20 14x, 20/0 ½ 20,49m; H.K. Linnda. (Old) 825, 83 4n, 84/83sn, (New) 82 4n; U.S. Gold, per fine, ounce \$35 Shanghai Lands 55, 5% a; Humphraya Estates 3234s, 32/3214sh; H.K. Renities 17% h: Chinese Estates 190n; Lands (Rights) 29b.

Public Utiliffer H.K. Tramways 26146, 26%s, 27/26%sa; Penk Trams (Old) 11e, (New) 5b; Stur Ferries 135b; Yaumati Ferries 280; Chiha Lights (Old) 21340. 21 154, 21 14/2 a. (New) 10 14 b. 161/2 a.: York 4.30, Paris, 3.62 14, Brussels H.K. Electrica 585, 58% a. X. Rts.: Macao | 9.87%, Amsterdam 162.30, Lishon Electrics 24 %s; Sandakan Lights 12n; 16.10, Buenos Aires 105.50, Stock-Telephones (Old) 45%b, 46%s, (New) 85 holm 119.62. Madrid 39.75. paid 40s, 39 % an.

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Miscellaneous: China Entertainments 37 4 m: H.K. Constructions (Old) 6 14 4. (New) 5n; Vibro Pilling 64n; Marsman Investments 13/8n: Marsman (H.K.) 1/6n. Cottons: Ewos 115, 11 16s, 11 54/11sa.

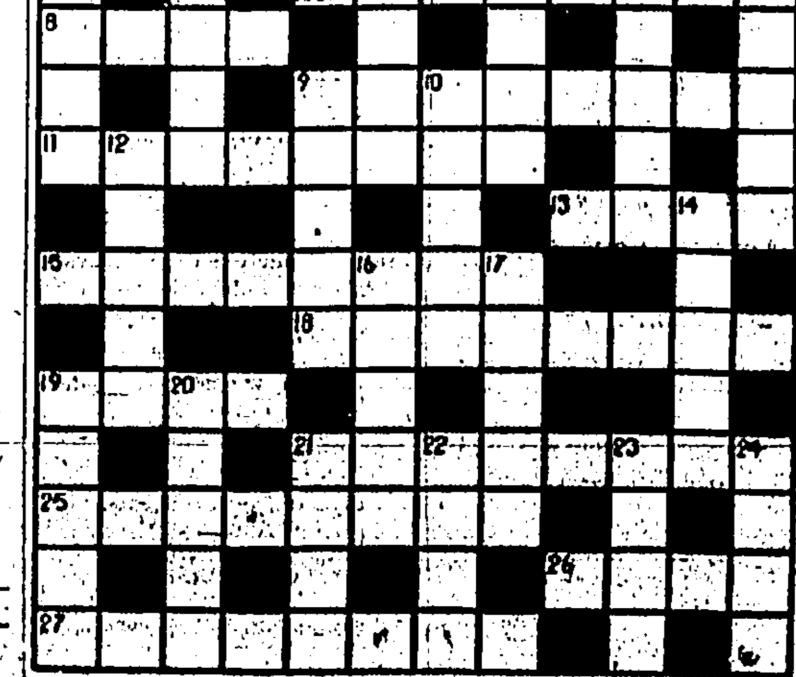
> MEXICAN **EXCHANGE**

T.T. Mexico City On: London 1,959, New York 485, Paris 450, sellers 122.50. Zurich 1151 Hongkong 1,250, Gold, Bar, per gramme, buyers Bombay unquoted .- Router.

ARGENTINE GOLD "Buenes Aires, Sept. 24. Sovereign, buyers 66.30, sellers

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A BRITISH CROSS WORD PUZZLE



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OPEN MARKET RATES IN SHANGHAI

Shanghal, Sept. 25.
T.T. on New York per US\$1 buyers 42,000, sellers 43,000. T.T. on London per £1 123.000b, 126,500s. Forward rates, which are limited to three months, differ per month by not more than

five percent.

The appointed banks are allowed a margin of 500 points either way in the case of the American dollar from Central Bank's rate and a margin of 2,000 points in the case of sterling-Reuter.

> **ANGLO-EGYPT** TALKS

Cairo, Sept. 25. features, would be the limitation of dividends (perhaps to average the past three years) or a higher that an agreement had been reached in Anglo-Egyptian The Stock Exchange might talks in Cairo on Egypt's quota reel initially but as a purely, political counter-part or im- of dollars from convertible perative measure to curb mass sterling.

spending power, such a budget Negotiations were stated to be continuing on proposals submitted by the Egyptians, which Moreover, the Chanceller could have been referred to London. not curb tish Treasury, either in prin- land 04.25s.—Reuter. ciple or substance.—Reuter.

New York, Sept. 24. Silver, Bar (asked price) 715 cents.-Reuter.

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Quiet Day On London Stock Exchange

London, Sept. 24. Another very quiet day was experienced in the stock markets the only section to show any definite trend being that for British Government securities which after sagging at first cleaced with small not gains. Certain industrials were inclined to follow this lead but business, was very thin and no great changes occurred.

Oils were erratic. At the opening prices were marked down on the reported Arab threat to the Middle East concessions but little selling developed and a sharp becovery basued, with Angit-Tranians practically regaining their loss at 8-7/16 after touching 8.

Little interest was displayed in any of the mining or commodity markets and foreign funds were less firm with the British official circles in exception of some of the South Cairo teday denied reports Americans. Argentine rails sagged further.-Reuter.

> BUENOS AIRES **EXCHANGE RATES**

Buenos Aires, Sept. 24. Buenos Aires on: London sellers The Egyptian Ministry of 16.29; New York buyers 403.50, Many industrial Finance, has been informed that the proposals are not like-dislike paying high ly to be approved by the Bri- 113.00s; Brazil 22.10s; Switzer-

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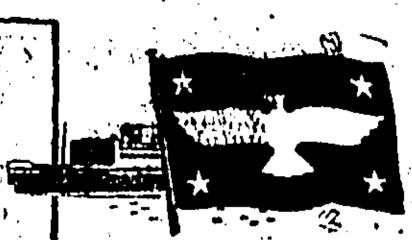
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MAIL NOTICE **Outward Mails**

GENERAL HOLIDAY On Monday, Sept. 20, 1917, The General Post Office, and Kowloun Central Post and the other Branch Post Offices from

There will be one delivery of Ordinary and Registered Correspondence at 10 a.m. and one collection only from the Pillar-The Money Order Office will be entirely

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This mail is expected to arrived United Kingdom early December, 1947. Unless otherwise stated, Registered Articles and Parcel Posts close 30 minutes earlier than the Ordinary Mail. If mail close before 10 a.m., Registered and Paycels will close at 6 p.m. on previous day

TRIDAY, SEPT. 20 Capton (By Train), 7 a.m. Macao, Tainshan and Shekki, 8 s.m. Manila P.I., Beira and Bouth Airles via

Macao, Telashan and Shekki, 1 p.m. Canton (By Train), 2 p.m. Straits and Rangoon, 2 p.m. Batavin, Bourabaya and Makassar,

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Hankow, Tsingtao and Pelping; Alymolifor Chungking, (Reg.) 3 p.m., (Ord.) 3,30 Airmall for Canton and Hollow, (Reg.) 5 p.m., (Ord.) 5,30 p.m.

SATURDAY, SEPT. 27 Canton (By Train) 7 a.m. Macau, Tsinahan and Shekki, 8 a.m. Airmail for Manila P.L. Honolulu, 11.8.A. und Canada, (Reg.) 19.30 n.m. (Ord.) 11 a.m.

Straits and Rangoon, 10 a.m. Swatow, 10 s.m. Halphong, Noon. Macao, Tsinshan and Shekki, I p.m. Canton (By Train), 2 p.m. Amoy, 3 µ.m.

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Post Office Railway Ticket

Chan Kam, 26, hawker, wanted to make a little money on blackmarketing of railway tickets, but he picked on the wrong man at 7.30 a.m. on. Wednesday when he offered a third-class ticket (\$8.80) to Sub-Inspector W. Young for

GRAIN BOOST

IN GERMANY

Berlin, Sept. 25.

The Police official had just At the Station he was asked seen a friend off to Canton and whether he had any money and was on his way out when he he took \$24 out of his pocket. was approached by defendant, The Inspector then took \$12 said Inspector J. Orem when he away and charged him with prosecuted Chan, on the counts offering a bribe. blackmarketing rallway tickets and offering a bribe to a Police officer, in Mr. W. II. Latimer's Court yesterday.

Broke Away

Accused was arrested by S/I Young but broke away and started to run off when he was re- both charges. arrested.

On the way to the Police Station he took some money months' hard labour on the from his pocket and offered it to the Inspector who accepted it and handed it over to the Inspector-on-Duty in the charge

denying Defendant, Airmail for Bangkok, Rangoon, Calcut- | charges, stated that he was netually purchasing a ticket to and London, (Reg.) 3 p.m., (Ord.) 3.30 go to Canton when he was ar-

The reason the Inspector arrested him, he said, was because he had no luggage. Airmall for Amoy, Shanghal, Nanking, He did not make the offer to die Inspector, said defendant, \$355.75.

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both charges.	Lake Frugality (Ryme) T.B.R. Whf, Larkslock (Wallem) B.B./Pt
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Inbour), and senenced to two	Luxmi (Bank Line) Talkoo dk.
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C 41 1 2 4 4	Newchwang (B. & S.) Kin, Bay
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thir figure and \$351.50 it flue	Strant Malakka (J.C.J.L.) Kln. Whf. Swartenboudt (J.C.J.L.) \ Talkoo Dk.
tunted. At the close it was	Brechuen (B. & S.) D.4
\$355.75.	Taishan Peak
	Tatung (B. & S.) S.C.
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grade. Opening at \$12.0734 a 100	Wah Chung (S. China) 13.8

Price of gold was maintained Wing Bang (Jardine) B.C. Yochow (B. & B.) A.12 Yunnan (B. & B.) B. Buoy Thistle (C.W.T.) Ymt. Tonjer (Larssen) Kin. Ray

		Yan Tal (China Mer.) Co.'s Whf.
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	noter fell to \$12.15. Australian	Emp. Mountain (Moller) A.11
-	pound notes were also easier at	
	312 50.	Lightning (U.S.L.) A. Buoy

i	EXPECTED ARRIVALS				
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i	l	Granville (Hank Line) A.1			
		Euryplus (B. & S.) Holt			
		Van Heuts (J.C.J.L.)			
	27.9	Kambodia (East Asiatic) Kin. Di			
8	,	Trawidden (Mackinnon M.) K. W			
3		Capital Victory (Jardine) E.C			
2	1	Tegelberg (J.C.J.L.) A. Buo			
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•		Halland (De La Rama) S.C			
7	20.9	Tilindane (J.C.J.L.) B.t			
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figure, food officials announced	25.9 Lily
here tonight	Paner
These latest shipments were ensuring the maintenance of a full bread ration for a normal consumer—Reuter.	Prosper

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HEATED DEBATE ON CHINESE IMPORT BAN

Nanking, Sept. 25. The Special Committee of the Executive Yuan studying revision of the import and export regulations vesterday centred heated discussions on an article which prohibits importers Saunders broke the from placing orders with manufacturers abroad before obtaining an import permit from the Chinese authorities.

r posed measure, subject

foods, cosmetics, birds' nests.

Relief

At the rame time after pro-

tracted negotiations, the Ministry

of Foreign Affairs and United

States Embassy officials here have

reached a preliminary agreement

to China, according to Foreign

These supplies will consist

The agreement is now awaiting

the formal approval of the

Chinese and United States Gov-

The Ministry of Foreign Affairs

London, Sept. 24.

at 10. Downing Street, tomorrow

to have a further trade confer-

Inden by air on his way back

took part in the Anglo-Eire

trade talks in London last Fri-

Mr. De Valern's return from

ity for carrying the talks fur-

according to authoritative quar-

--Reuter.

He will be accompanied

day, when it was agreed

ter, Mr. Eamon de Valera.

plan talks in Paris.

is reported to be sounding out the

mainly of feedstuffs, but will also

include medicines, seeds and

Under this agreement.

the end of the year.

fertilisers.

coats and toys.

dies, enrics and tea.

Opiniona were klivided in the | Bank of China since merchants Committee in which one gr up and ad, instead of remitting maintained that if importers money, would buy manufacturpay for imports with their own ed goods and send these to seconds. tracign exchange, goods in China. China cald absorb surplus! enpital, while another group Economic Affairs discussed declared that this would allow measures for the confiscation oversens Chinese remittances of prohibited imports which to enter China through chan-leluded Customs and still openly nels other than the Central sold in China markets.

Soccer Games At Sookunpoo

The Sookunpoo Re--creation ground, lately rehabilitated by the Arm; and now improved beyond recognition, will be for post UNRRA American relief the venue of four Army home games to be played during this opening American Government will ship week-end of the Soccer Season.

The matches are as follows: SATURDAY

3.30 p.m. R.E.M.E. v Chi nese Athletic 5.00 p.m. 25th Field Reg. v Royal Navy.

SUNDAY 25th Field Regt. v South China Devous v Kwong

As a friendly gesture marking attitude of the United States and the opening of Sookunpoo as the Korean Governments towards the official Army home ground, the reopening of trade relations be-Hong Kong Area Land Forces Loven China and Korea according Sports Board has decided that to semi-official sources. - Reuter admission to the above games & United Press. will be free. The ground is in excellent condition and capacity of 3,500 have been created.

Spectators are assured of most pleasant and comfortable scaling in which the keen struggles of these opening matches will be fought.

Football Games

As the stands at Caroline Hill are not yet ready, the First Division Football games arranged for this week-end have been trans. fored to other grounds. The amended fixtures are a follows: —

SATURDAY FIRST DIVISION S. China v Inniskillings (Causeway Bay 5 p.m.) Referes: L.G. Young Linesmen: F.A. Barretto/i Col. Plerce.

SECOND DIVISION S. China v H.M. Dockyard (Car. Hill 3.30 p.m.) (only concrete stand to be used by spectators) · Referee: J.G. Padley

Sing Tao v Klichee. Postponed. SUNDAY

FIRST DIVISION Eastern' v St. Joseph's. (Club 5 p.m.) Referee: J. Havelanr Linesmen: A. Leck/P.T.H. Goorge.

SECOND DIVISION " St. Joseph's v Talkoo Dock ·(Club·3.30 p.m.) . Referee: Tsang King-hong.

The following are the Club defences of Chanchun which Chinhsien! soccer teams for temerrow:-First Division v. Police (Club. 5. p.m.) :- Leck: (Fowler and Fjelstad; Ritchie, Forrow, and Fielstad; Ritchie, Forrow and Polping said that engineers counter-offensive succeeded in mately 20,000,000 over the Beck; Henderson, Weller, Red and employees of the National driving the Communist co- next 25 years. man Mullen and E. Strauge,

Reserve -Bond, Second Division v R.A.S.C. (Club, 3.80 p.m.) 12 Cation; Locke fighting centinued on the Pei- at the foot of Tapiehahan were being encouraged, and Odill) Urquhart, Opinger and ping-Mukden railway. The mountains, The reports said There were said opand Oddll) Urquinart Oninger and plug-muscues are presented were protein that the advance of Govern portunities for British expenses a supported from Chin-metal Government (Chin) below to the advance of Government (Chin) below to the advanc

Sets New Record

At last night's heats for the Colony Championships at the V.R.C. 22-year-old George Men's 50 yards free style by 1/5 second.

The record holder was Ng Nin who established his title in 1940, swimming the 50 yards in 24 3/5

Snunders swam the distance in Meanwhile, the Ministry of 24 2/5 seconds.

Results

The results of the last batch of heats were :-Men's 50 yards Free style Championship:-G. Saunders (24 It was understood that the 2/5 sics.) Lau Tai Ping (25 2/5 to secs.), A. Ballerand (25 3/5 confirmation by the State secs.) Choi Lee Hang (26 1/5 Conneil, calls for the confisca- | secr.) and Wong Chi Hung (25) tion of such "luxuries" as sea- 3/5 secs.).

V.R.C. Men's 100 yards Free plastic handbags, plastic rain-Istyle Championship (Junior):-C. Gutteres (63 secs.), J. Gomes It also calls for the confisca- (61 4/5 secs.), E. Guest (61 tion three months later of such sees.) R. Sousa (66 sees.), and

imports as biscuits, fruits, can- A. Marques (65, 2/5 secs.). Men's 50 yard Back Stroke Handlehp:-N. Reynolds (34 3/5 secs.), L. Gutteres (37 3/5 secs.), C. Gutteres (38 1/5 sees.), and R. Sousa (47 1/5 secs.).

Men's 220 yards Free style:-Yau Sai Kwan (2 mins. 30 secs.). Lau Tai Ping (2 mins. 31 4/5 secs.) Chan Chun Nam 2 mins. 98 secs.). J. Yvanovich (2 mins. 34 4/5 secs.) and F. Monttiro (2 mins. 32 secs.).

Women's 50 yards Free style:-US\$30,000,000 worth of relief S. Anderson, A. Anderson, Leung

Ko Mul Ling. As there were only five entries for this event no heats were swum.

St. Anne's-on-Sea,

struck a shrewd blow for British golfing prestige. opening The Prime Minister, Mr. Cle- when in the ment Attlee, has summoned a round of the "News match play championence with the Eire Prime Minis-|ship here he defeated the Australian, Norman Von means. Mr. De Valera will arrive in Nida by four and two.

Encouraged by brilliant weather, the 16-nation Marshall a huge crowd flocked to the course to witness this "match of the senson" between Cotton, holder of the members of his Ministry who ditle, and Von Nida, who has won more than 13,000 in British tourna-

The Australian for once failed with his iron shots, while Cotton was wonderfully accurate. The Paris to Dublin via London Briton took the lead at the first hole would provide a good opportun- and was four up at the turn. The Australian took the 11th in four and the 12th in two to reduce his deficit

Since Mr. De Volera left for But then Cotton produced a mighty Paris, the group of his Govern- match-winning shot to within two ment experts and officials of the yards of the flag at the 15th and British Government have been won the match at the next hole amid unforgettable scenes of enthusiasm. continuing the trade talks which. Among otlear first round winners were the British Open champion, ters, are making good progress. Fred Daly, Dai Rees and Flory Van

Shanghal, Sept. 25.

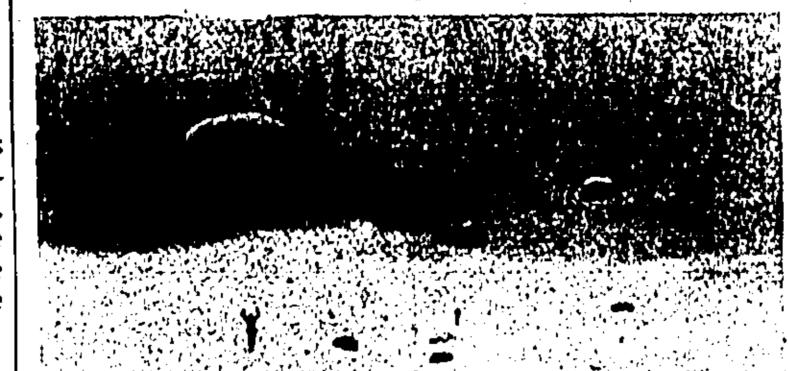
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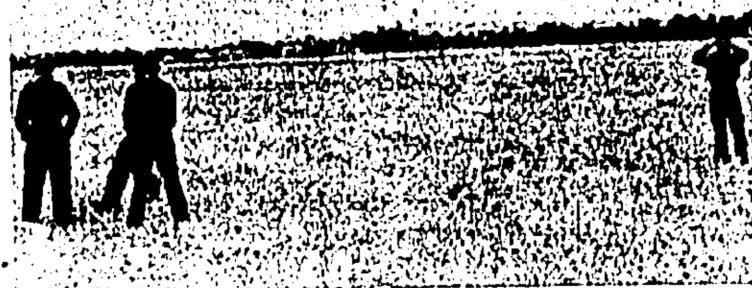
CHIANG'S MEN

RETAKE HUAITEH

munists were killed and wounded."

area developed into a local offensive resulting





Here is Territorial Army training-new style. T.A. paraciutists land after being dropped from aircraft over the training camp of the 16th Airborne Division (Territorial Army) at Upper Heyford, Britain,

Australia Offers Real Opportunity

Gold did not lie around the streets of Australia. but it is there for the man who was prepared to work hard and to dig for it.

yesterday by Mr. R. Hazzard, to raise a family, of a high Trade Commissioner for the standard of living and hap-Commonwealth of Australia, piness. when he addressed a gathering drawal of UNRRA from China at Oi Ming, Wong Yuen Ching and of several hundred Royal Naval ratings on the subject

of "Australia Today." It was pointed out by Hazzard that Australia had, during the post war period, exported approximately £285,-000,000 worth of goods to the rest of the world.

This was a most noteworthy achievement for a country with a population of only seven and a half million. Established industries had

only come into being during the past ten years, he said. Plants and equipment were of the most modern type. Even America was teday sending in- had not an opportunity of acdustrial experts to Australia to Henry Cotton, Britain's examine Australian plants and to study Australian methods

of production. **Benefits**

Dealing with the number of free benefits and social ser-vices, Mr. Hazzard said that Pan-American special meeting of the Cabinel the World" professional hospital and medical expenses up to £2 per week were allow- Returns ed every individual, whenever ed every individual, included as to his Hong

For every child after the first, there was an endowment scheme. Under this scheme, ways begins a new round-the-Government paid 7/6 per week world route tonight on a route for every child after the first, which will circle the globe until such additional child at- Tokyo, Shanghai, Hong Kong, tains the age of 16 years.

Primary education in Australla is a function of Government. It is 'free compulsory between the ages ago by the outbreak of the Pacific of six and fourteen years. Australia was today

in which to live. nverage 'wage being earned was round about £10 per week, which was ample to enable a man to raise a family and to provide his children with a decent education, as well as to accumulate savings.

Pensions

- Provision was made under the Commonwealth system of pensions, for the payment of estimated daily loss of 12,000 a weekly pension to widows tons to Britain's coal-starved and invalids to any citizen at economy.

Australia, it is held that all and production had jumped by essential principles of the draft Dispatches from Mukden today indicated that the men who are prepared to work over 300.000 tons. Nationalist probing attacks in the Changchun are entitled to employment. Union officials urged strikers World Trade Conference schedul-Australian labour legislation in the Lanarkshire and Ayr- ed to open in Havana on Nev.

Changchun, on Wednesday morning in brief, point of view. A large number of com- Edinburgh today.—United Press. brisk fighting in which more than "1,100 Com- panies from America and Enghand were establishing them-The dispatches said the Gov-basid the power supply of Chin- selves in Australia and were ernment troops were pursuing haien, Fushun and Mukden is bringing with them complete the fleeing Reds in an attempt partly dependent on the Com- plants, thereby opening up new to regain all strategic outer munist-belegguered city of industries.

It was the sim of the Auswere taken by the Communists | Pro-Government reports from | trallan Government to increase in the June offensive, Hofel, Anhwel, province, claim. Its present population of seven A United Press report from ed that the Nationalists in a and a half million to approxi-

Resources Commission were lumns back to the base city of For this purpose, immievacuated from Hulutao as Lihuang in Western Anhwei grants, particularly British;

coers responsed to be all well

These remarks were made | would ensure them of a chance | ness in Hong Kong. **Problems**

The chief problem today was transportation, but as far as Servicemen were concerned. this alfficulty did not exist. They would be entitled to take their discharge in Australia. Transportation would be provided by the British Govern-

In conclusion, Mr. Hazzard stressed the fact that Australia was a place of specialization rather than generaliza-

It was desirable for a mar to be a tradesman of some desman, cwing to long service, quiring a trade, every facility to enable him to do so would be given on arrival in Aus-

San Francisco, Sept. 25. The Pan-American World Air

Bangkok and Calcutta. The Pan-American yesterday resumed its service between San the Francisco and Hong Kong and Manila, halted nearly six years

The services will link the Pacicheapest country in the world fic coast with every major city in Asia as well as India, the Middle East and England.—Associated

SCOTTISH MINERS STRIKE ON

The unofficial Scottish min ers' strike for higher wages spread rapidly today, affecting 14,000 men and 20 plts for at

.The strike began yesterday

after the nation had experienc-

Edinburgh, Sept. 25.

in the recapture of Hualten, 30 miles west of operated according to this The officials met with National

London, Sept. 24.

The British survey aircraft missing from its base on Falkland Islands since Sept. 15 has now been found south of Capo Berteaux in Graham Land in the Antarctic, the Colonial Office announced to-The plane. a small British Austor direralt, made a crash

"Ironside" The Reds

General Chang kwei, China's Ironside Commander was outspokenly critical of Communist activities in Hong Kong when he addressed a large public reception given in his honour by the local Chinese afternoon.

that the Communists were making their headquarters here, and were doing everything posalble to stir up trouble in pany's accounts and financial some anxiety to your Board is Kwangtang.

munist armed groups in the ly half of what we would ex- more closely to the revenue province, he strongly suspected pect it to be under normal carned. The revenue derived that they were exploiting the operation. Income from . In- from operating your system bandits for their own political terest, Dividends and Ex- should bear a proper relation-

the wave of smuggling now go- business generally during the pansion is retarded and the ing on between Hong Kong and period under review. Kwangtung, and urged his compatriots to co-operate in stamping it out.

favourably on legitimate busi-

In Kwangtung

Speaking of his two years' plant values. stewardship as supreme military commander in Kwangtung and Kwangsi, General Chang ly admitted the result was not serve, and making provision has been made to Government up to expectation.

bandits in the Province. blamed lack of political operation as one of his handi- from dividend equalisation re- and made a comprehensive

General Chang Fa-kwei, ear- "On July 10 1947, your ller in the afternoon, was the Directors decided to call up the guest of honour at a luncheon balance outstanding on the cription. In cases where he at the Hong Kong Hotel at partly paid shares amounting which the Hong Kong General to \$1,875,000. The first call Chamber of Commerce and the of \$2.50 per share became pected shortly. Chinese Chamber of Commerce payable on Aug. 18, and the were joint hosts.

Replying to the toasts of wel- on Oct. 18 and Dec. 18 respeccome extended to him by the tively. This will augment your Main Automatic Exchang-Hon. Mr. R. D. Gillespie and working capital to take care of Mr. Tung Chung-wel, the Chair- immediate requirements; but is men of the two Chambers, Gen- clear that further adjustment eral Chang referred to the in- of the Capital structure wil timate the between Canton and shortly be necessary. Hong Kong. "They are like "Investments show consider Siamese twins," he said.

back on their feet.

ment House, and a dinner party commitments. in his honour given by the three Chinese unofficial members of "capital reserve Fund" Council, rounded off the General's round of festivities for former annual sinking yesterday.

TELEPHONE CO. MOVES TO LIFT CALL PRICES

Government sanction has been sought by the Hong Kong Telephone Co., Ltd. for increased telephone charges, and an announcement of Government's decision is expected at an early

which the Chairman of Direc-

service uneconomic. Giving a review of the Composition the Chairman said:

Though there were no Com- from working account is rough- costs of labour and materials | change' at \$221,151.69

The General also criticised and reflects the recovery in rendered. If this is not so ex-"directors fees," is included it is not possible to continue \$5,000 for special remunera- to provide indefinitely for high

tion to Mr. D. H. Blake for the grade service on inadequate subotage of China's valuable services rendered to rates. economy cannot but react un. the Company during his ardu- | since the re-occupation of the ous period of Chairmanship Colony, of \$153,545.91 is substantially procimately only 50 per cent below pre-war levels, and is higher than those prevailing. In

propriation account stands at \$673,535.34, and after trans. charged for telephone service he had done his best, and frank-| terring \$92,577 to capital re- uneconomic, and application for corporation profits tax of for increased charges. \$60,000:00 it is only possible to recommend payment of a divi-He dend at the rate of 12 per cent co- p.a. by transferring \$155,000.00

Decision

2nd and 3rd calls are payable

able appreciation over book He urged business men in values, and the cash position Hong Kong, both Chinese and must commend itself to shareforeign, to help their less for- holders. The cash position is tunate counterparts in Canton health, but will require con tinuous careful ecrutiny A cocktail party at Govern- view of our present and future

"On the Liabilities been re-instituted and instalment of \$92,577.00 has The General will return to been appropriated to this Ac-Canton this morning by air. I count. The accepted purpose

This was disclosed at the of providing this Fund is the 18th ordinary yearly meeting amor ination of the Capital of the Company held in Ex- over the period of the Franchange Building yesterday, at chise and your Directors forke that the amount of the Annual tors, Mr. N. O. C. Marsh, told Appropriation should be ade-Kong Hotel yesterday shareholders that the advances quate to achieve this end. The in costs of labour and material present annual appropriation is are so much out of line with inadequate, but adjustment There was no doubt, he said, operating revenue as to make cannot be made without Govpresent charges for telephone ernment approval which has so far been with-held. "A matter which has given

the necessity for relating the "The balance of \$897.242.50 increased (and still increasing) is ship to the 'cost of operatiff's somewhat higher than normal and the value of the service quality of service must "On the debit side, under ultimately deteriorate, because has supplied ser-"Depreciation," in the figure vice at rates which are apdue to a reduction in Capital 1941. The advances in costs hat labour and material are so "The net profit carried to ap- much cut of line with operatling revenue as to make present

> "Your Company's Consulting Engineer, Mr. J. W. Wheeler, visited the Colony in March. survey of the telephone situation here. He reported verbally to your Directors, who formed the opinion that he endorsed, generally, the policy which your Company is pursuing. His written report is ex-

"Orders have been placed, with the concurrence of the Consultant, for extensions to ed in -both Hong Kong-and Kowloon. The drafting of specifications and the preliminary engineering necessary before these orders even reach the "blue-print" stage is ex-

"Notwithstanding the difficulties in obtaining supplies. your Company has been able to give service to some 2,000 additional subscribers during the period under review. Much work has been done in bringing up to accepted standards plant and equipment which had suffered from lack of maintenance during the war years. The Chairman then proposed the adoption of the Report and Accounts as presented, and this was seconded by Mr. S. T. Will

Unanimous The motion was put to ! the

vote and carried unanimously. Mr. W. G. E. Eggleton proposed the re-election of the retiring Directors, Mr. D. H. Blake and Sir Shouson's Chow to the Board. This was seconded by Dr. Mok Tal-tin and carried unanimously. Mossrs. Lowe Bingham &

Matthews were reappointed nuditors of the Company on the proposal of Mr. Loung Fattin, seconded by Mr. D. Black. Supporting Mr. Marsh in the chair were Sir Shouson Chow. Sir Robert Kotewall and Mossrs, E. R. Hill, D. C. Davis and F. C. Barry (Directors). Mr. J. P. Sherry (Managing of Director), Mr. R. E. Farrella (Acting Manager) and Mr. Big Grove. (Secretary)...

Shareholders present were Dr. Mok Tai-tin and Messra Lam Kwal, Lam Shu-wing. Leung Fat-tin, Wong Min-hin. tion), E. R. Childe (represent)

text of three documents designed to give provisional effect to the main principles of the International Trade Charter. The main document is the general agreement on tariffs and t trade, which is a statement on

charter to be submitted to the

effect shall be given to the gen- consist of six players and a eral agreement by Dec. 1, upon manager. signature of the protocol fixed The team will be put up by W. G. E. Egglaton, D. Black, for Nov. 18 by seven of the local players and it is understood S. T. Williamson, W. G. Griffich world principal trading units—that Mr. B. W. Bradbury, Mr. S. R. A. Mason (representing the Britain, the United States, H. Shields and Mr. S. M. Randin Heng Kong Fire Insurance Constitution and Canton Insurance Associated Religious Luxembrurg and the several members of the Shanghal tion). E. R. Childs (represented)

Belgium-Luxembourg and the Netherlands.

The other 12 countries represented at Geneva may sign before June 3 next year.

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The drafting committee of the United Nations trade conference here agreed tonight on the